

YUUKI KODAMA

17
FINAL

BLOOD LAD





IF YOU
ATTACK ME
NOW, IT'LL
LOOK LIKE
YOU'RE
SCARED
OF WHAT'S
COMING.

SO IF
YOU DON'T
WANT THAT,
JUST SHUT
UP AND
WATCH.



BLOOD LAD



CHAPTER 81 ♠
THE DEMON WORLD ROCKS

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WORLD

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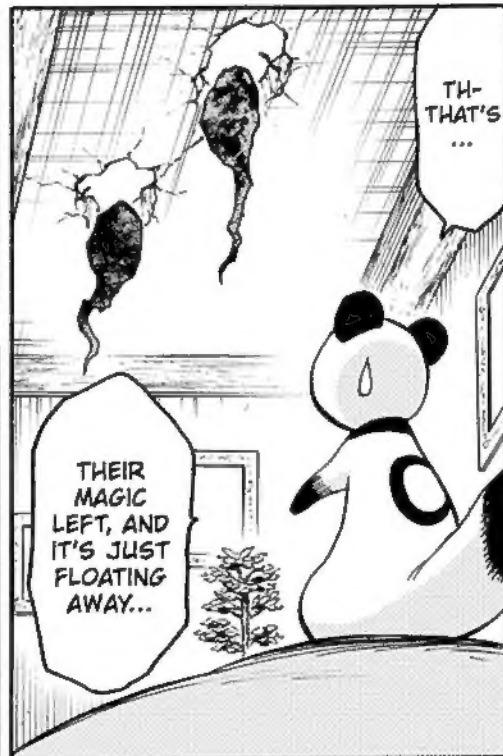
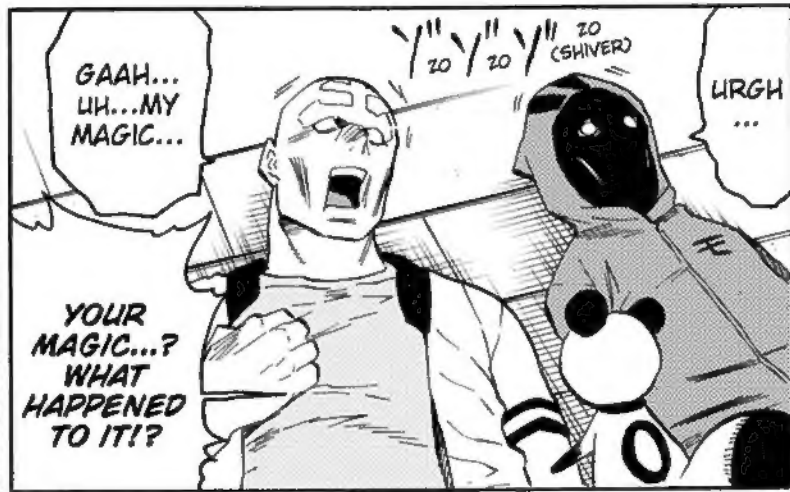
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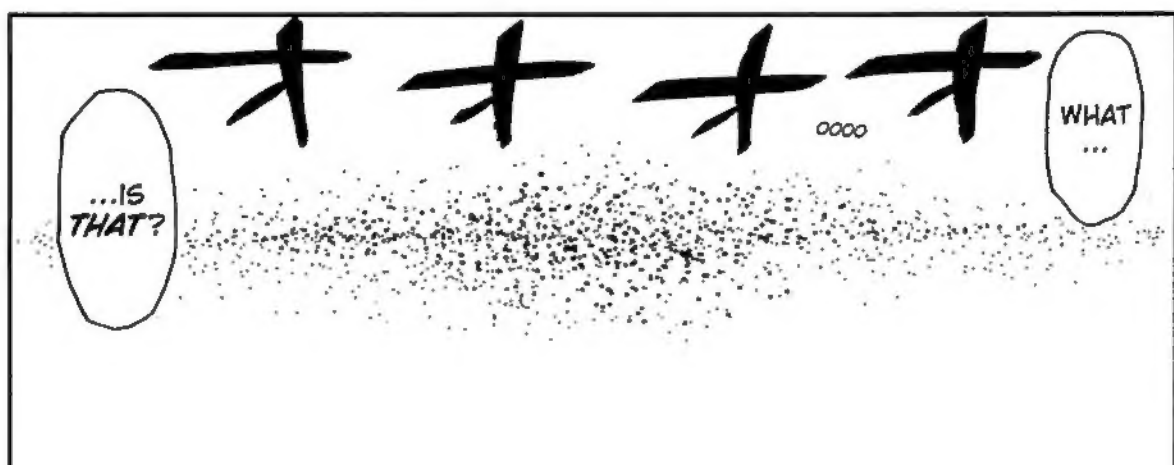
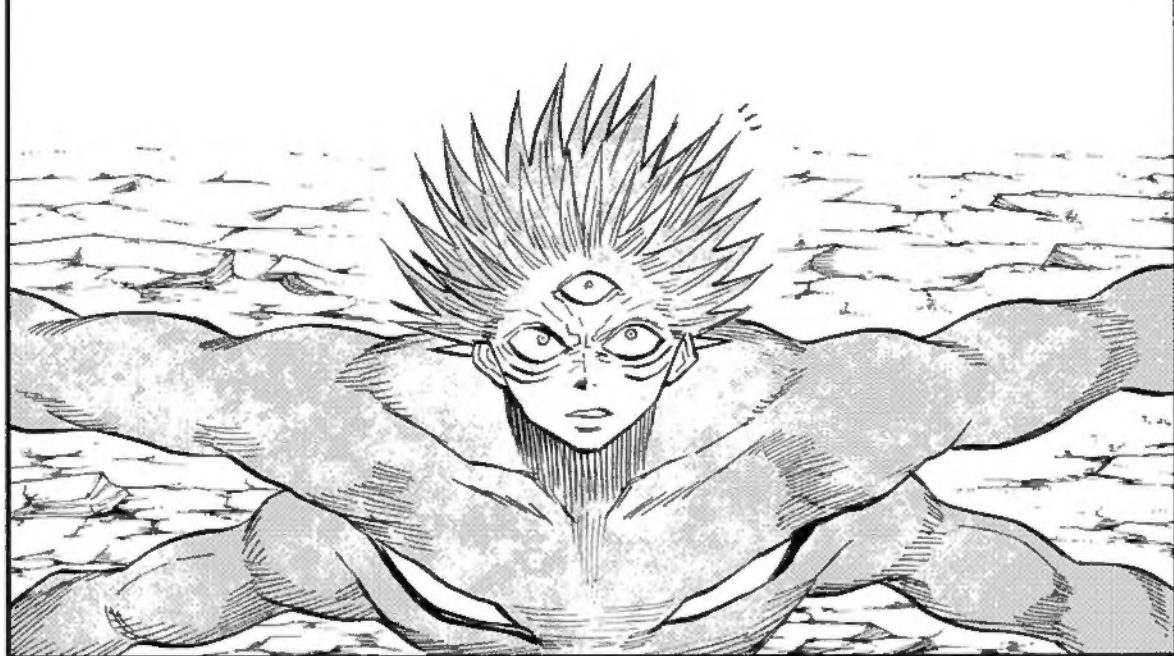
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I USED ABOUT
HALF MY MAGIC,
LAUNCHING IT
ALL OVER THE
DEMON WORLD...

YEAH. GOT
A LITTLE
BIT BACK,
FINALLY.



...HOW MANY
TIMES THAT
I GET BACK
IN RETURN.

NOW
LET'S
SEE...

DO
(CRUMBLE)



IT'S TOO
LATE. YOU
CAN'T STOP
IT NOW.

YOU
—

I'M
THE MOST
SELFISH
GUY IN
THE DEMON
WORLD.

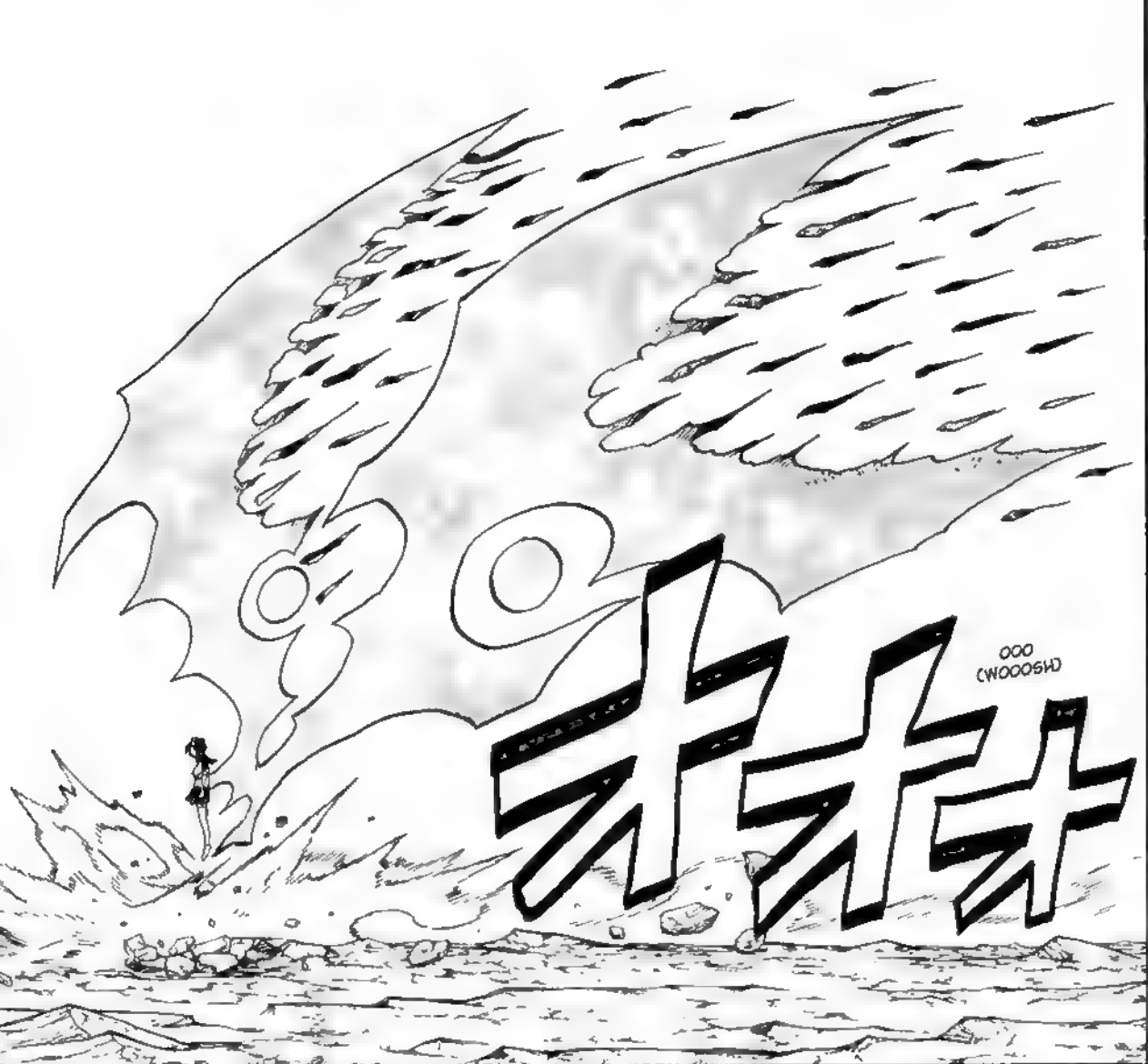


STAZ
...

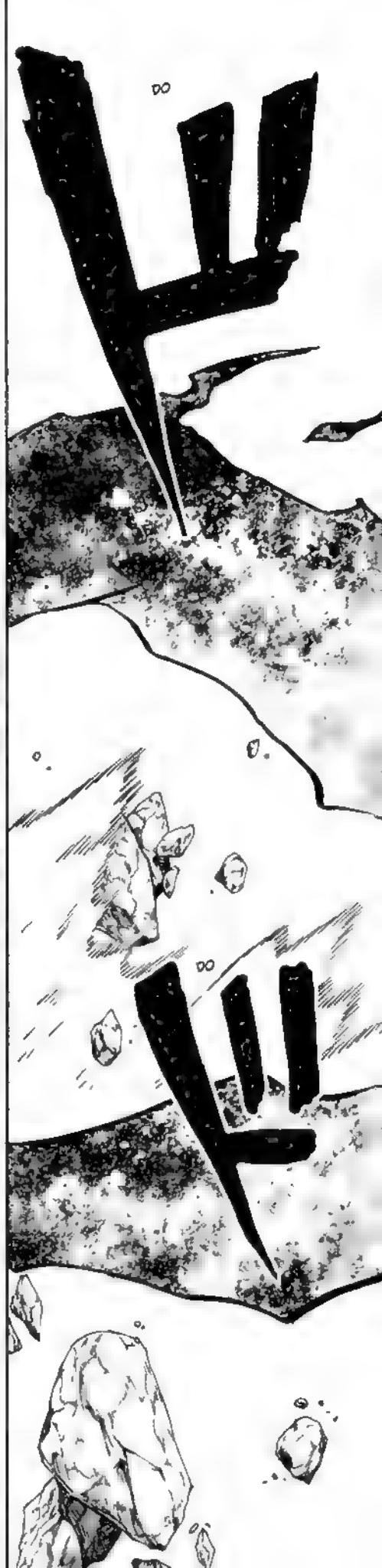


BROTHER
...
IS THAT
...?













RAA A A H!

ooo
(sukoooo)



DO YOU
THINK...
WE WILL
TOLERATE
BEING
CRUSHED...

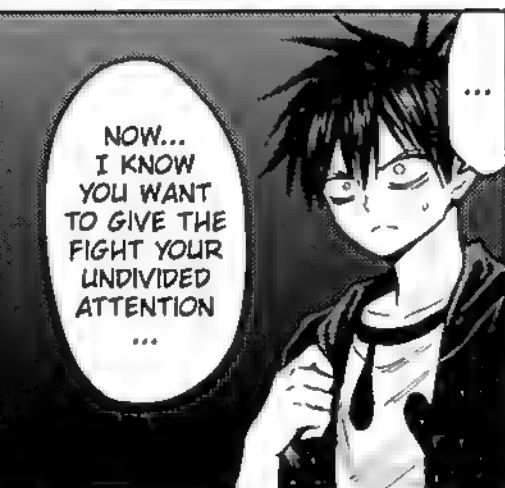
NNGH...











NOW...
I KNOW
YOU WANT
TO GIVE THE
FIGHT YOUR
UNDIVIDED
ATTENTION
...



NO,
FIRST OF
ALL—
WILL YOU
PUT SOME
CLOTHES
ON!?

JUST
BECAUSE
I HANDED
OVER
CONTROL
OF MY
BODY TO
YOU...

YOU'RE
INSIDE
OF ME!

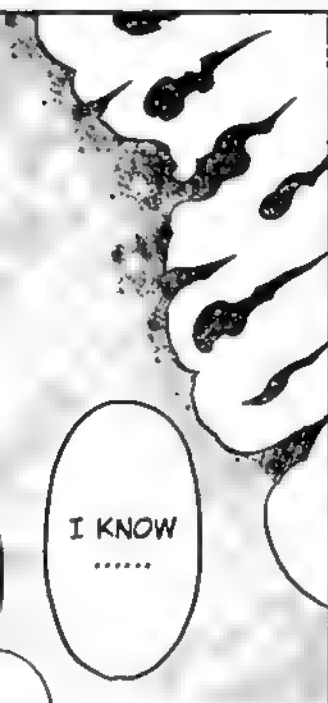
WAIT,
HOW
ARE YOU
STILL
—?



IF
YOU KICK
EVERYONE
OUT...

BUT YOU
CAN'T WIN
THAT WAY.

...YOU'LL
NEVER
WIN
ALONE!



I KNOW
.....



I KNOW
THAT!!

...BUT
I HAVE
TO TRY
...

'COS
IT'S MY
BODY!!

...AN
INCREDIBLE
AMOUNT OF
MAGIC IS
GATHERING,
FROM ALL
OVER THE
DEMON
WORLD...

...THAT
RIGHT
NOW,
INSIDE
OF
ME...



I KNOW IT,
STAZ-SAN.

...AND
I KNOW
THERE'S
NO WAY
YOU CAN
WIELD THAT
POWER
ALONE.

WHAT
YOU TOLD
ME BEFORE,
ABOUT BEING
A VESSEL
FOR MAGIC
...

.....



THIS IS MORE
MAGIC THAN A
VAMPIRE CAN
CONTROL.



HAAAH-
HA-HA-
HA-HA!



JUST
WHEN
YOU'D
THOUGHT
YOU'D
WON.

TOO
BAD...



...LIKE
ONE OF
THE BLACK-
LISTED? IS
THAT WHAT
YOU'RE
SAYING!?

SOMEONE
WHO CAN
WIELD
EVEN MORE
MAGIC THAN
I CAN...

THEN...WHAT'S
THAT MEAN...?
AFTER MAKING IT
THIS FAR, I HAVE
TO HAND OVER
THE CONTROLS
TO SOMEBODY
ELSE!?

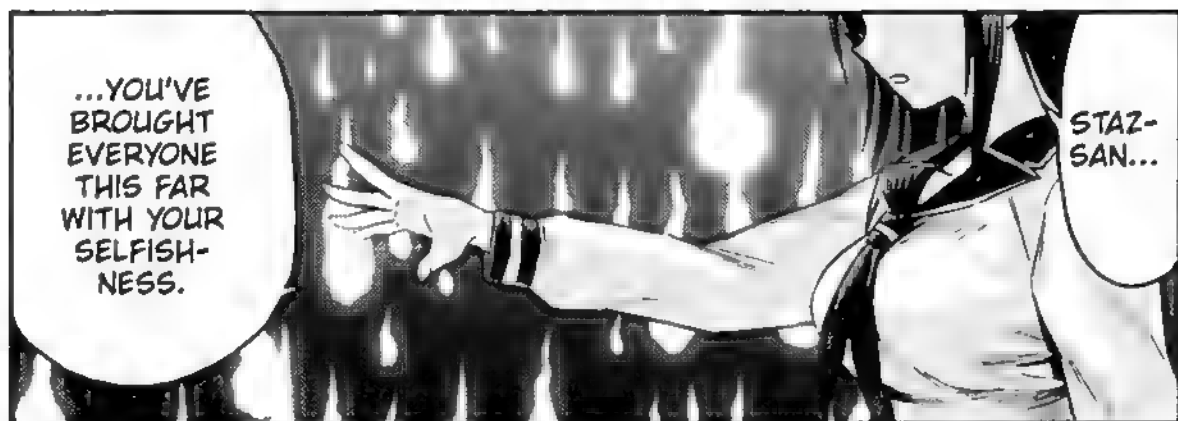
NOT
JUST ONE
PERSON.

...
NO.



...IS
PUT ALL
HANDS
BEHIND
THE
WHEEL.

WHAT
I'M
GOING
TO DO
...





DON
(BOOM)

SO,
STAZ-
SAN...



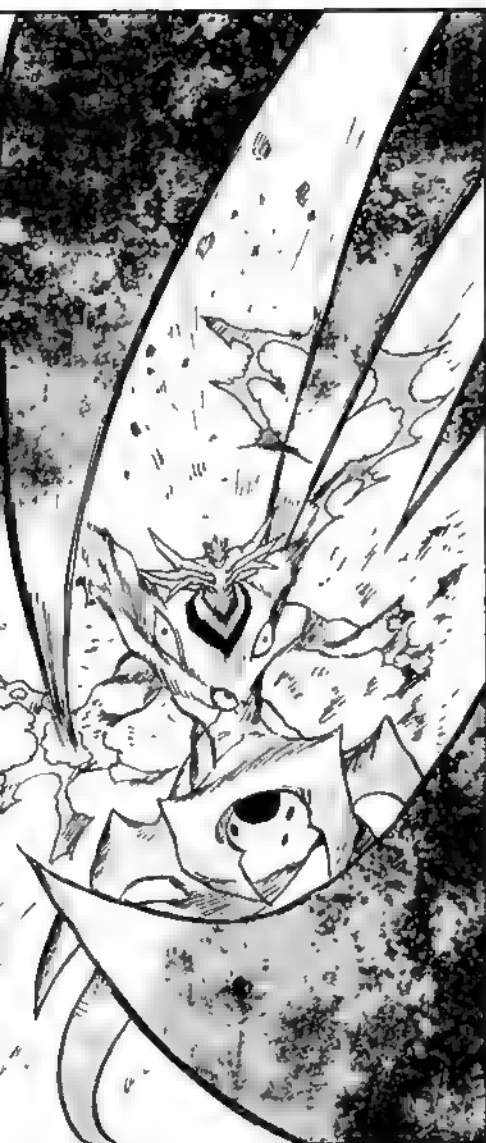
...
AND IN
THEM.

...
BELIEVE
IN YOUR-
SELF...



WHA
—?





IT
CAN'T
BE...



ALL YOU
HAVE TO
DO IS
REACH
OUT.









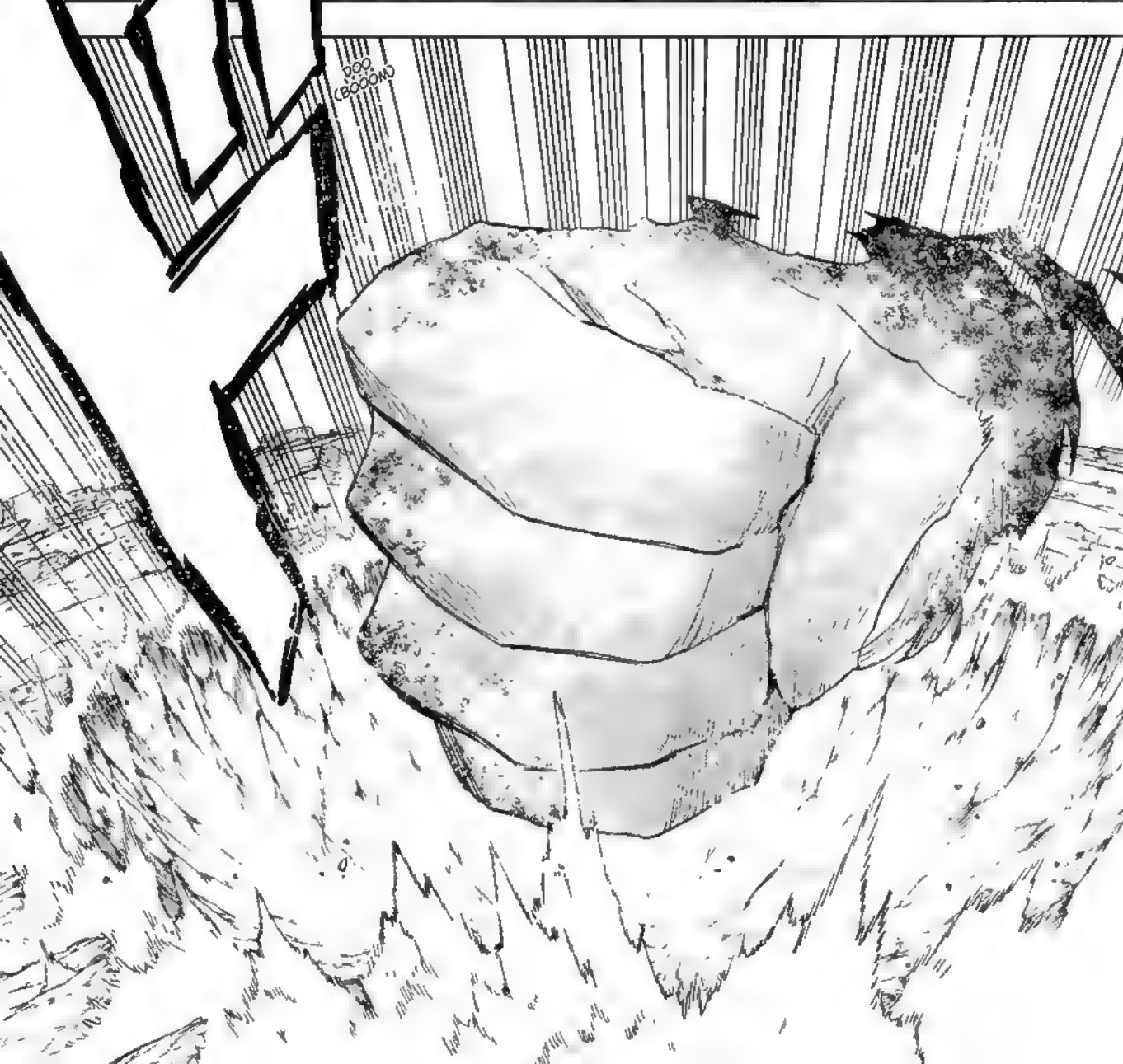




I
LOVE
YOU
GUYS
!!



...FOR
REAL?



BOO
(BOOOO)



NOOO-
0000-
0000-
000!



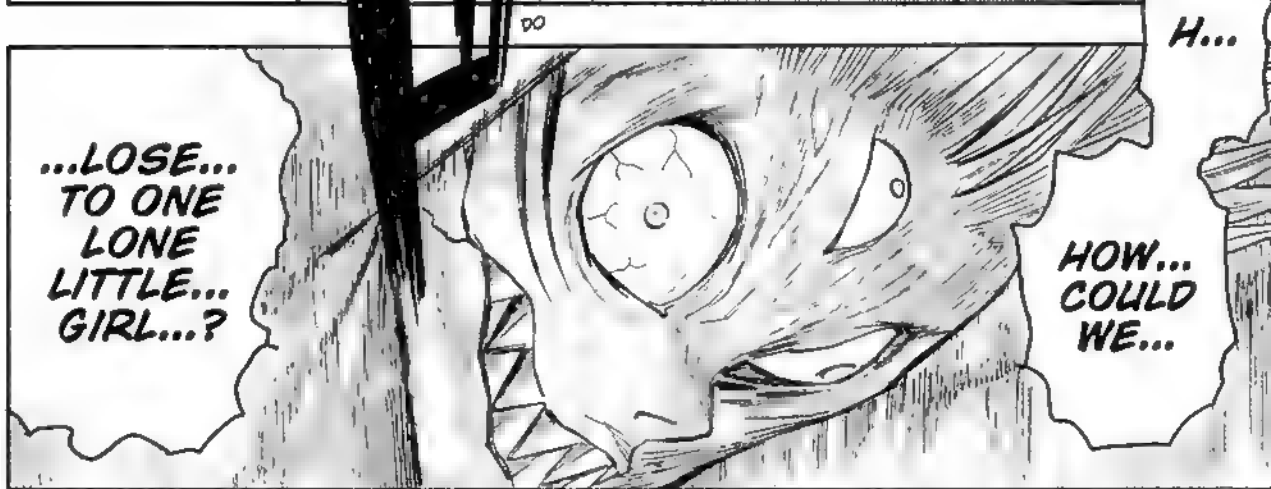
...FOR
REAL?



NOOO-
OOOO-
OOOO-
OOO!

**I
LOVE
YOU
GUYS
!!**







BE-
CAUSE
STAZ-
SAN
HAS
BEEN
THERE
FOR
ME...



I'M...

...NOT
ALONE.



**FINAL
ZIP!**



THE
DEMON
WORLD

...

...
RÖCKS
...!!



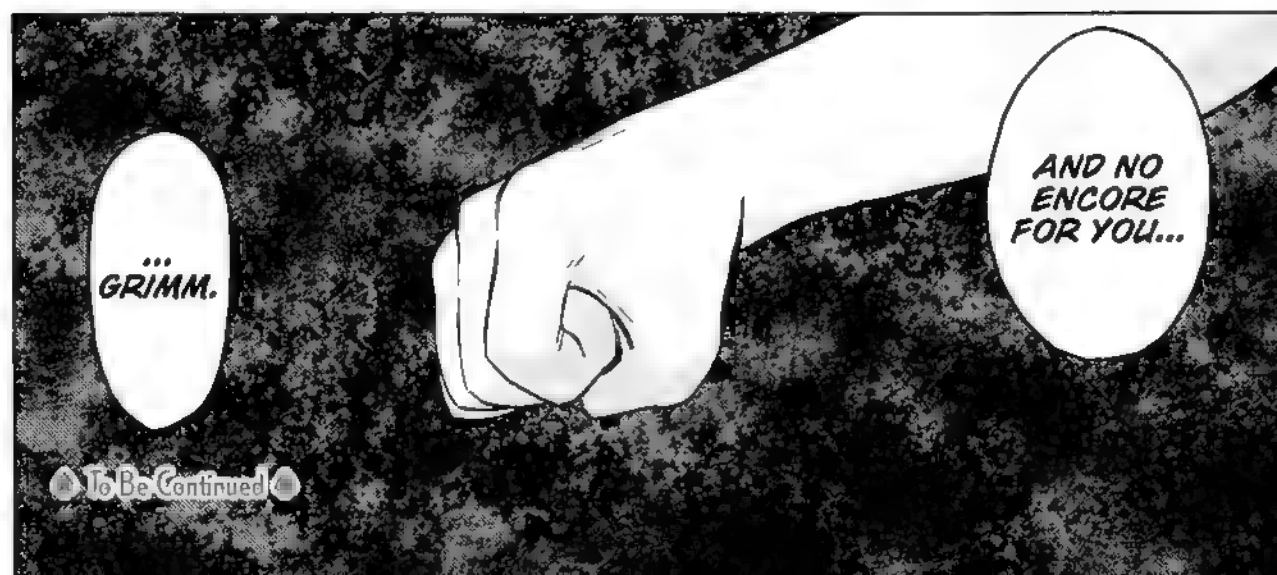
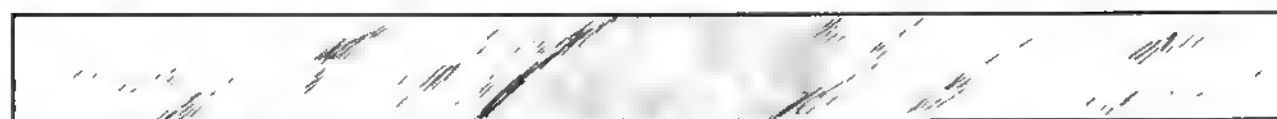
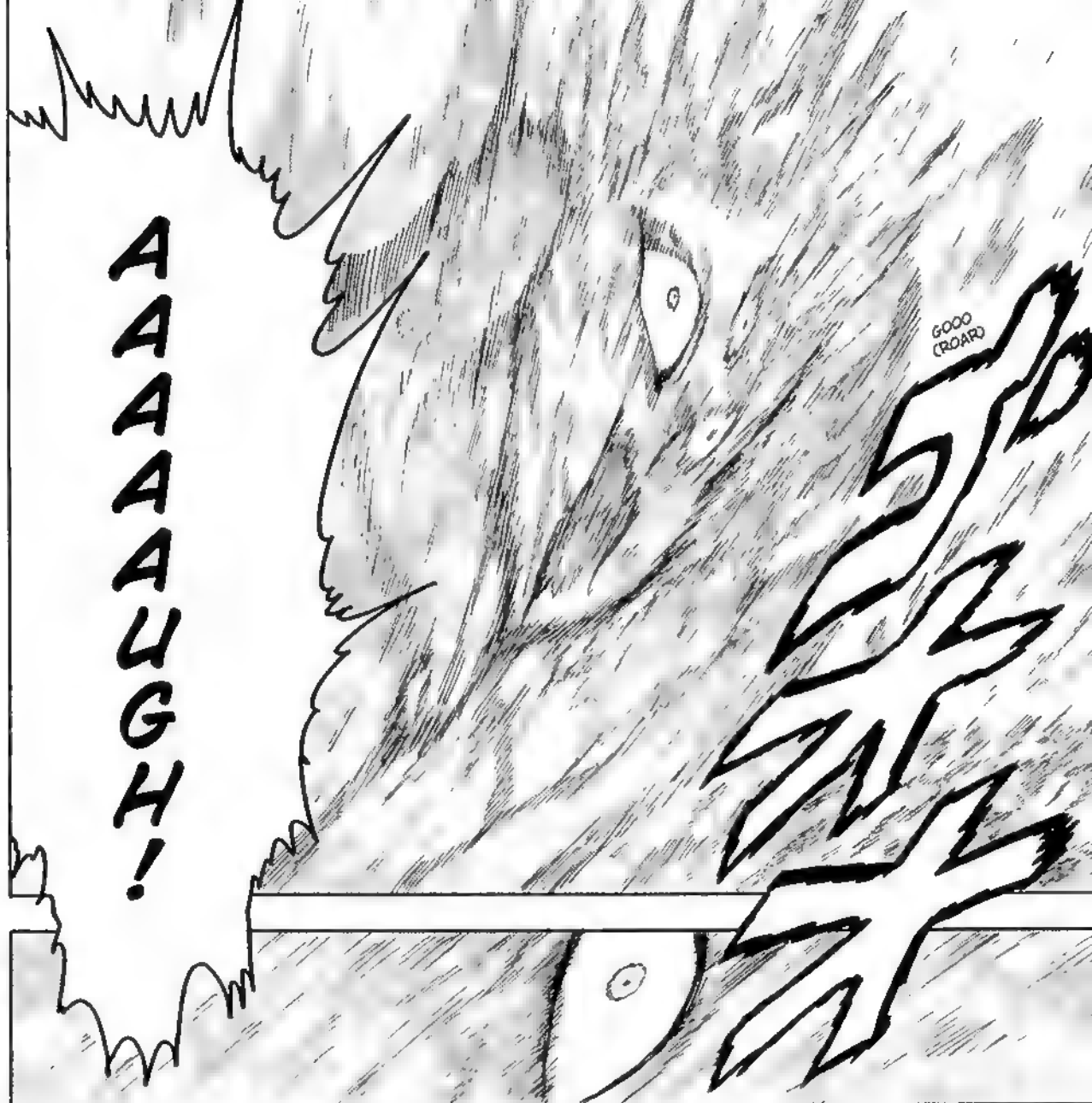
THE
DEMON
WORLD

...

...
RÖCKS
...!!



**FINAL
ZIP!**





BLOOD LAD



CHAPTER 82 ♠ ADRIFT



MAGIC
...

...ALL
OUR
...

OUR
...

...
MAGIC
...

HRAA-
AAAA-
ARRGH
...



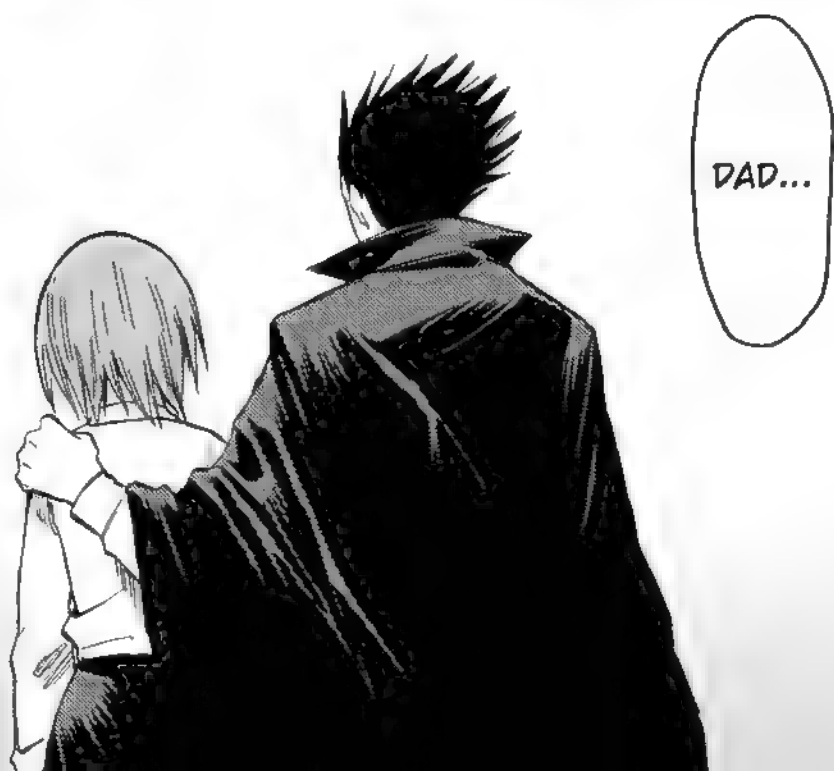
IT'S NOT
YOURS.....





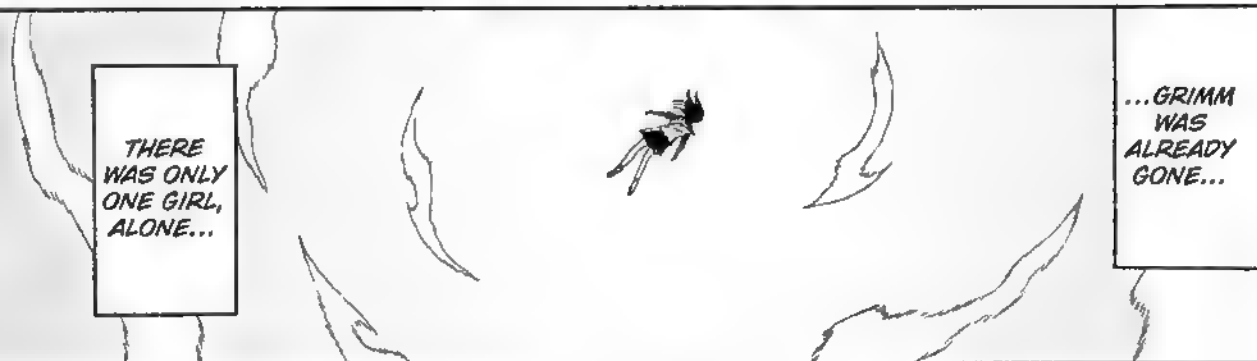
**IT'S NOT
YOURS.....**







WHEN
WE GOT
THERE...



THERE
WAS ONLY
ONE GIRL,
ALONE...

...GRIMM
WAS
ALREADY
GONE...

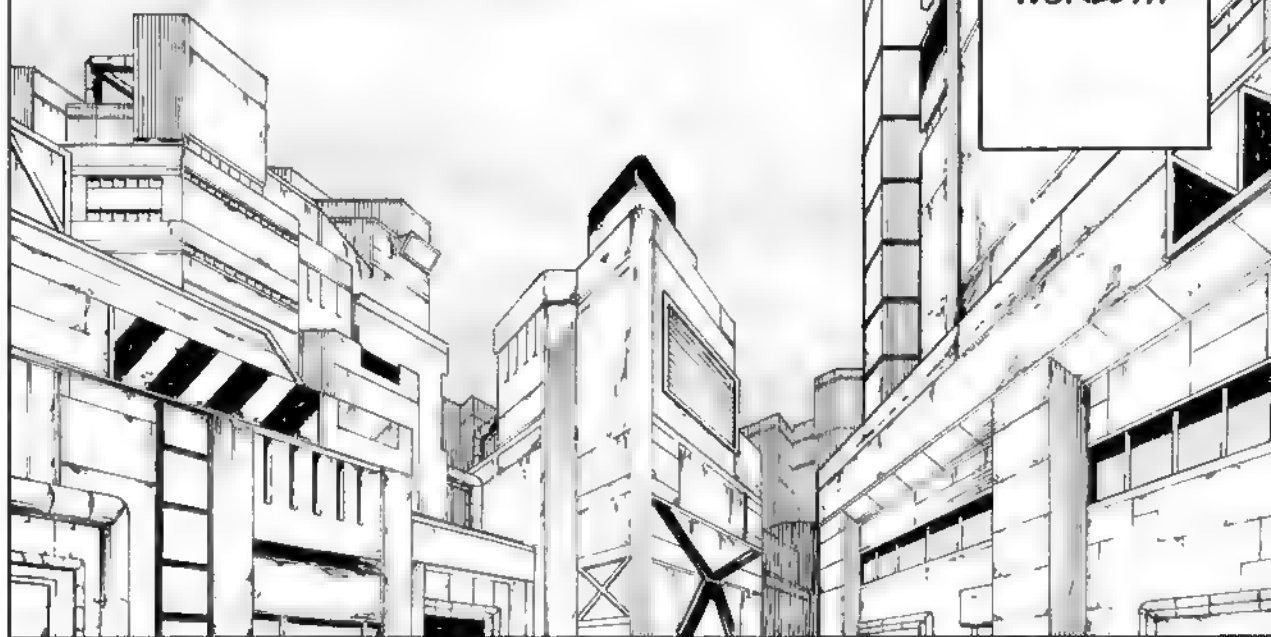


THE GIRL
WHO'D DIE
UNLESS
SOMEONE
PROTECTED
HER...

THE
GIRL TOO
FRAGILE
TO MAKE
IT IN THE
DEMON
WORLD...

— THREE DAYS LATER —

THE GIRL
WHO SAVED
THE DEMON
WORLD...



AND
YOU SEE
THAT
HOLE
IN THE
CEILING?

BEFORE YOU
CAN BLINK, THE
MAGIC IS DRAINING
OUT OF PEOPLE'S
BODIES, AND
NOBODY CAN MOVE
FOR TWO OR
THREE DAYS.

GOT AN
ONGOING
DISPUTE WITH
THE PEOPLE
UPSTAIRS
ABOUT WHO
HAS TO PONY
UP TO FIX IT.



UGH.
THIS IS
CRAZY.

THOSE
ARROW
THINGS COME
SHOOTING
DOWN FROM
THE SKY,
AND THEN—
STAB!





HERR-
SCHAFT
GRIMM.

I DON'T
REALLY
KNOW WHAT
HAPPENED
AFTER THAT,
THOUGH...

AHH, RIGHT,
THAT ONE.
WRECKED A
WHOLE CITY,
DIDN'T HE?



.....UH-
HUH.

SOUNDS
LIKE
A PAIN.

I'M
NOT
PAYING
A DAMN
CENT,
YOU
HEAR
ME!?



THEY
MADE A
BIG FUSS
ABOUT THAT
MONSTER
ON TV...

THAT
THING...
WHAT
WAS IT
CALLED?

WELL,
AT LEAST
IT'S NOT
LIKE
THOSE
GUYS
FROM UP
NORTH.

AFTER
THAT, IT WAS
BUSINESS
AS USUAL IN
THE DEMON
WORLD.



A MAGIC
TRANS-
FORMER,
FROM IMP
COMPANY.

MODEL
NUMBER...

UHM...

SO,
WHAT
ELSE
DID YA
NEED?



EVEN
THOUGH
WE CAME
THIS CLOSE
TO LOSING
EVERY-
THING...

THANKS
AGAIN.

NO ONE'S
INTERESTED
IN ANYTHING
BUT
NORMALCY.

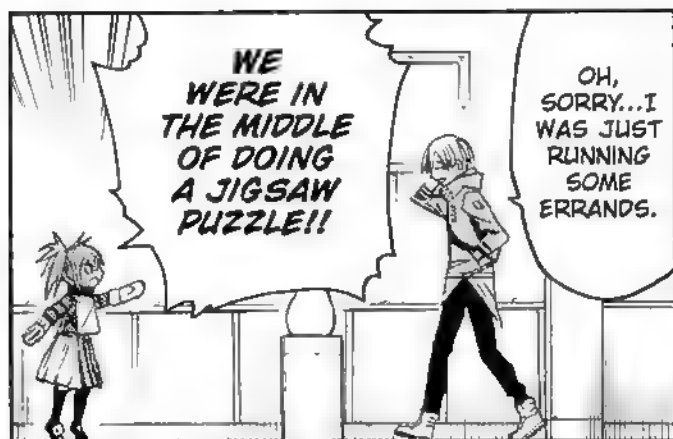


THOSE
ARE THE
RUMORS
GOING
AROUND
...

SO WHEN
YOU HEAR
THAT NAME,
YOU BETTER
STEP ASIDE.







BOX: ANIMAL CRACKERS







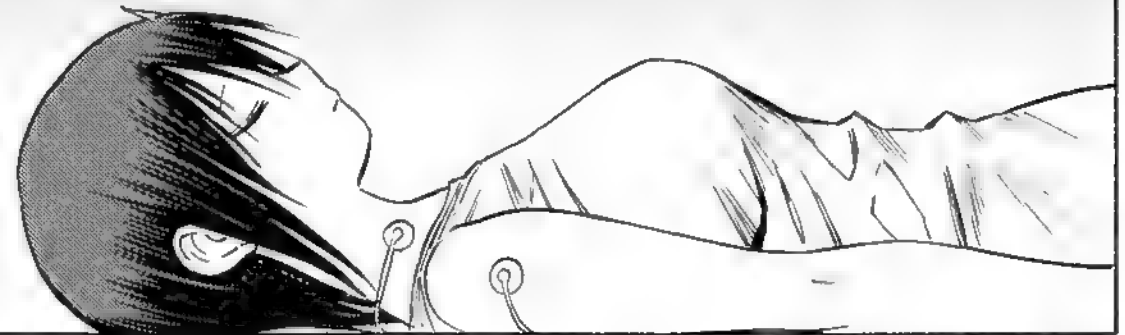




NO
POINT...
IT'S TOO
COLD...



ZAKU
CRUNCH



WELL...REMEMBER
WHEN I FLOATED
THE THEORY THAT
SHE CAN'T REGAIN
CONSCIOUSNESS
BECAUSE HER SYSTEM
OVERHEATED DUE
TO HANDING OVER
TOO MUCH CONTROL
TO OTHERS?

WHAT?

YEAH.



...I
THOUGHT
SO...



...AFTER
YIELDING
SO MUCH
OF HER
CONSCIOUS-
NESS TO
OTHERS...

...RIGHT
NOW, FUYUMI
YANAGI HAS
NO IDEA WHO
SHE IS.



...ALL THESE
DIFFERENT
KINDS OF
MAGIC ARE
FLOATING
AROUND,
SCATTERED.

LOOKING AT
THE FLOW OF
MAGIC FROM
HER BLOOD
SAMPLE...



IT'S
POSSIBLE
THAT...

SHE'S IN
A STATE
WHERE NO
ONE HAS
CONTROL
AT ALL.



...BUT
IF WE CAN
REDUCE THE
AMOUNTS OF
INTERMINGLED
MAGIC IN
HER BODY,
SHE MIGHT
BE ABLE TO
FIND HERSELF
AGAIN...

TRUE
...

THAT'S
NOT SOME-
THING WE
CAN FIX.



...WELL
THAT'S
NOT
GOOD.



IF WE
EXTRACT ALL
OF IT AND
SHE DOESN'T
WAKE UP...

...THEN,
SADLY...

WE'LL
EXTRACT
THE MAGIC,
BEGINNING
WITH THE
ONES WE
CAN SAVE.

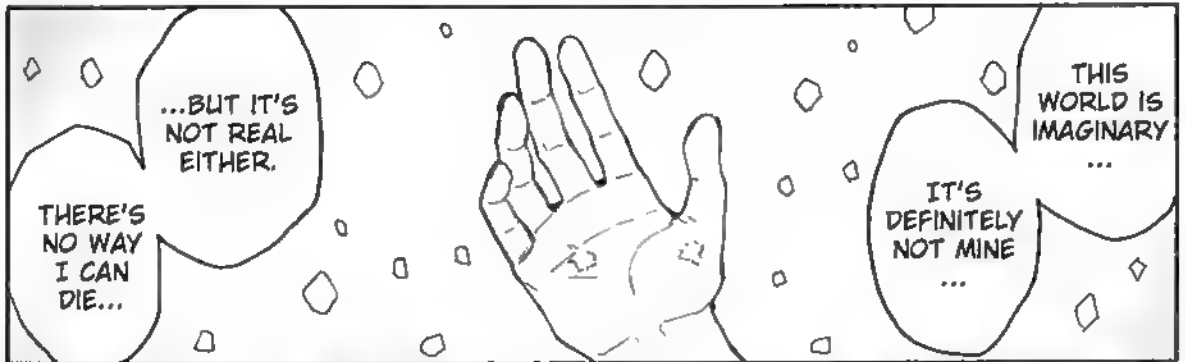


...
RIGHT.



0000
(FW000)

...IT MAY
MEAN FUYUMI
YANAGI IS
LOST TO US
FOREVER...



THERE'S
NO WAY
I CAN
DIE...

...BUT IT'S
NOT REAL
EITHER.

THIS
WORLD IS
IMAGINARY
...

IT'S
DEFINITELY
NOT MINE
...



FEELS LIKE
I FELL
ASLEEP
AT SOME
POINT...

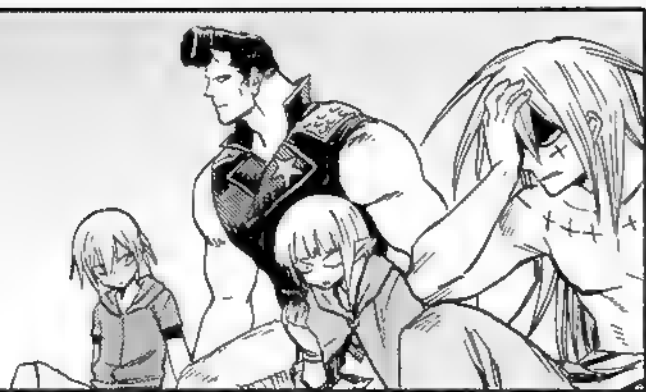
WELL,
I WAS
LIKE THIS
BEFORE I
WOKE UP
TOO...

ザクリ
(KRNCH)



BUT
I'M
SLEEPY
...

WHAT,
DOES IT
WANT
ME TO
SLEEP?



—
SEVEN
DAYS
LATER
—





...THE
PEOPLE
WHO WERE
INSIDE OF
FUYUMI-
CHAN CAME
BACK.

ONE
BY
ONE...



FRANKEN
AND
BRAZ ARE
AMAZING.



THEY
REALLY
DID SAVE
ALL THOSE
PEOPLE,
ONE AFTER
ANOTHER.



...MY
SISTER
IS
STILL IN
THERE.

BUT...





WE
DON'T
KNOW
IF SHE
EVER
WILL...

FUYUMI
YANAGI STILL
HASN'T
REGAINED
CONSCIOUS-
NESS.



YOUR
SISTER...
WOLF...
AND
STAZ...

BUT IF
THERE IS
ANY HOPE,
IT RESTS
WITH THOSE
WHO KNOW
HER BEST...



...I'M
SORRY,
I DON'T
HAVE
BETTER
NEWS
FOR
YOU...



THE TINY,
WEAK
FLICKER
OF HER
MAGIC...

ADRIFT
SOMEWHERE
IN A VAST
OCEAN OF
MAGIC...

MAYBE
ONE OF
THEM
WILL FIND
HER.



HER
CONSCIOUS-
NESS...











WHAT'S
GOING ON
HERE?



SO...



NO POINT
WALKIN'
AROUND
MUCH IN
THIS.

AIN'T
NOTHIN'
TO FIND.



WANDERED
AROUND
UNTIL I
FOUND THIS
PLACE...

I
HARDLY
MOVED
FROM
WHERE
I WOKE
UP.

I
DUNNO...
I DID
THE
SAME
AS
YOU.



SO
THE FIRST
THING YOU
DID WAS DIG
A HOLE...

YOU
REALLY
ARE A
MUTT.



...
WAIT A
MINUTE
...



SO I
DUG OUT
A HOLE,
BUILT IT
UP, AND
HERE I
AM.







...
YEAH.
...
YOU'RE
RIGHT.



WE
HAVE TO
FIND HER,
SOON...

BUT SHE
PROBABLY
DOESN'T
EVEN KNOW
THAT HER-
SELF.



FUYUMIN
HAS
TO BE
HERE...

...
SOME-
WHERE.



WE
WON'T
FIND
HER BY
WALKING
AROUND.

...NO.



?

HE'S
RIGHT,
STAZ...



...IS
BECAUSE
THIS
ISN'T
REAL.

THE
REASON
I DON'T
HAVE MY
SOUP...



WE
GOTTA
SPLIT
UP AND
START
LOOKING
!!

THEN
WHAT'RE
WE DOING
HUDDLING
AROUND A
CAMPFIRE
!?

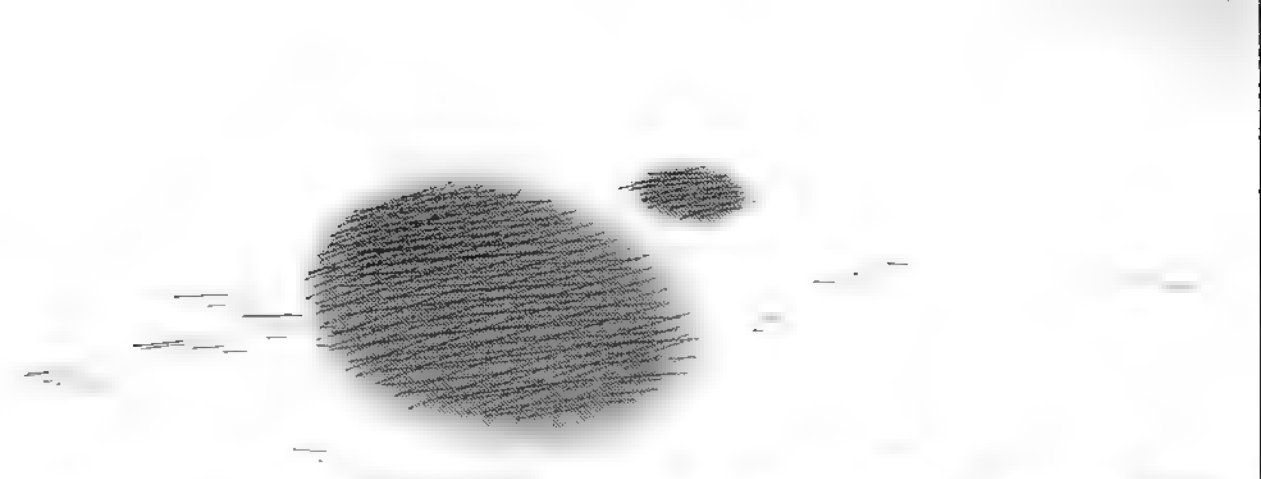






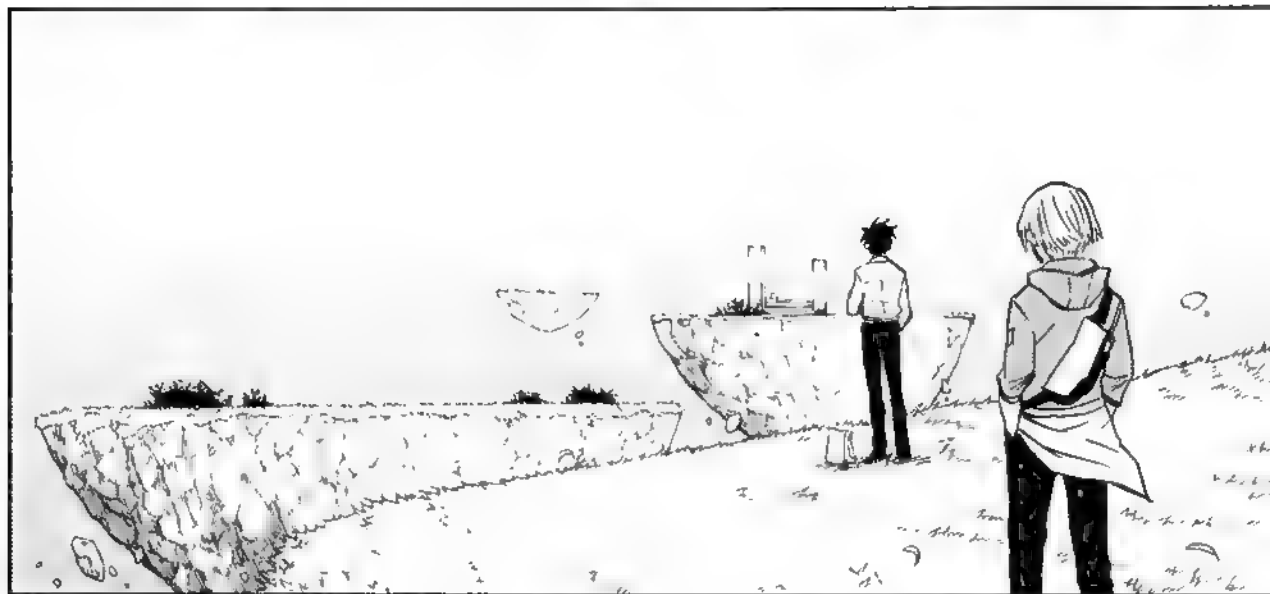


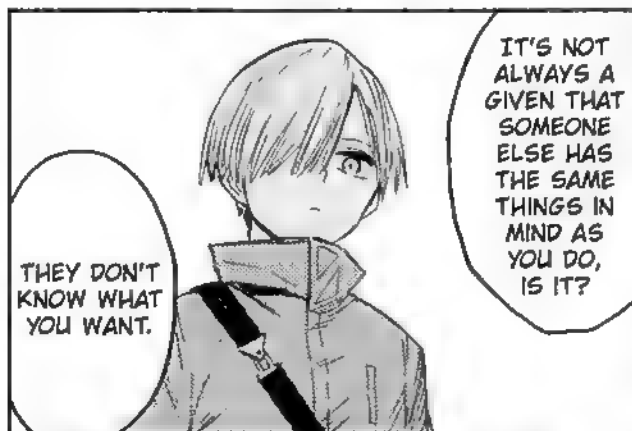
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YOU
DON'T NEED
MY MAGIC
ANYMORE...

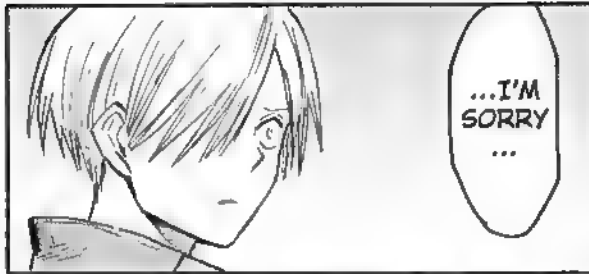
OH.
THAT'S
RIGHT...











IT WAS
FOR YOU
TO TALK
TO HER.

WHAT
FLUYUMI-CHAN
WANTED
FROM YOU—
IT WAS NEVER
YOUR BLOOD.



SO YOU
HAVE TO
TELL HER
WHAT THAT
IS...

SHE'S A GIRL
WHO GOES
ALONG WITH
WHAT OTHERS
WANT...

ALL
THIS
TIME...

...I'VE
BEEN
SCARED
...

...OF
YOUR
FEELINGS.







YOU
DON'T MAKE
SENSE TO
ME AT ALL.

BUT
THAT'S
NOT HOW
YOU ARE.



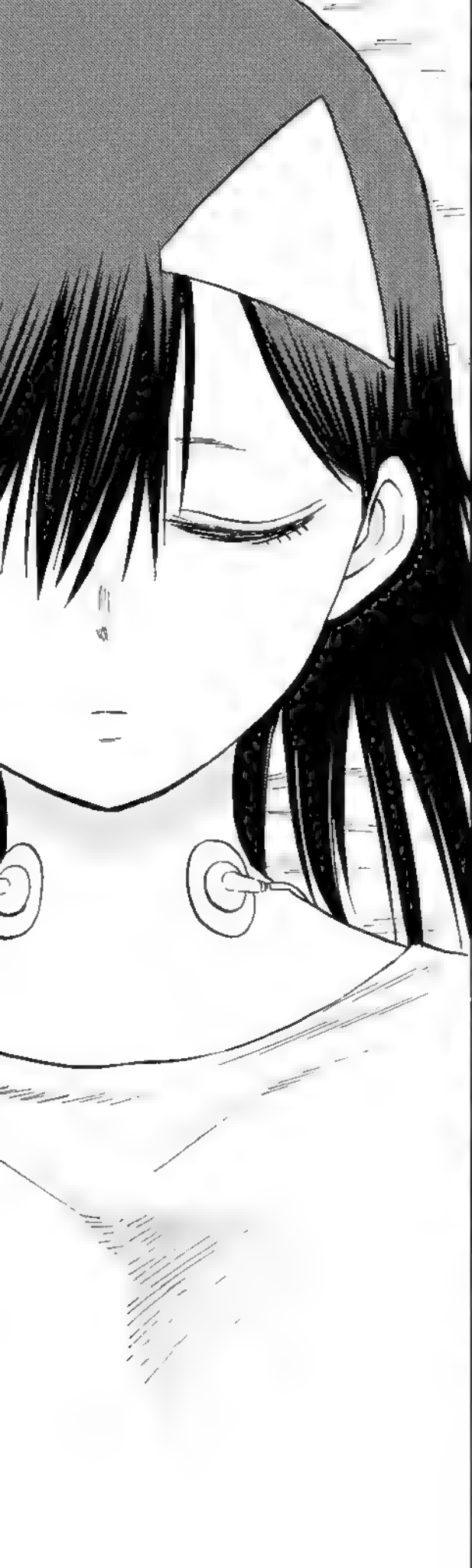
...WERE
REALLY
MAKING
YOU STAY
BY MY
SIDE.

I'VE BEEN
SCARED OF
FINDING OUT
WHAT KIND OF
FEELINGS...



WHEN I
THOUGHT
THAT,
I COULDN'T
EVEN START
TO SAY IT.

WHAT IF YOU
AND I DON'T
FEEL THE
SAME WAY...?



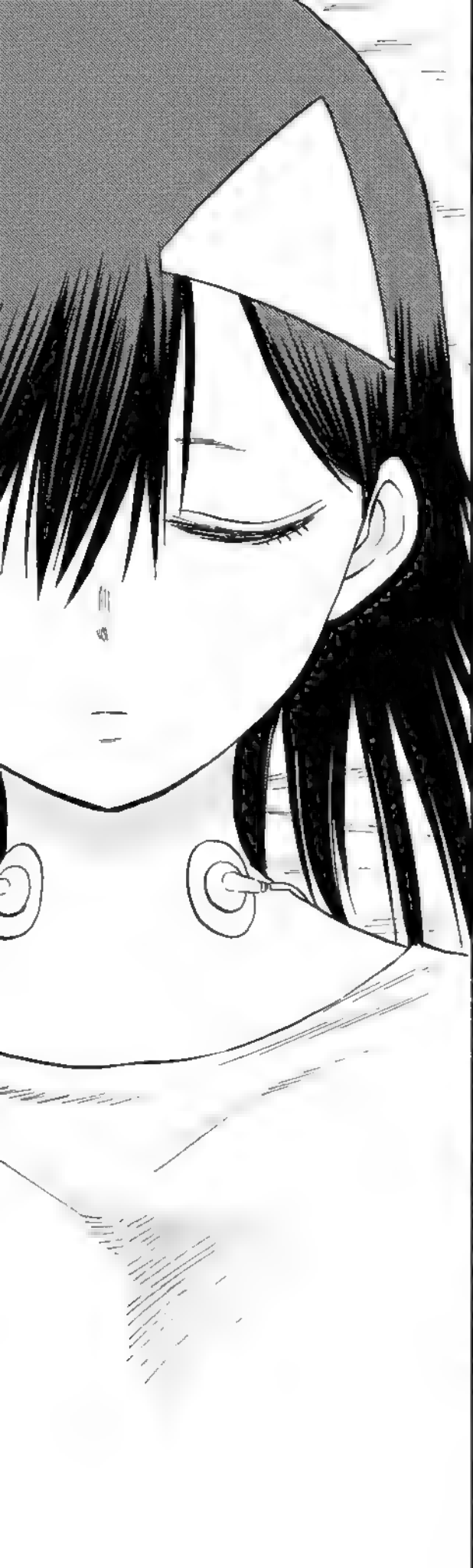
...I LOVE
YOU,
FUYUMI
YANAGI.



TO TELL
YOU
THAT...

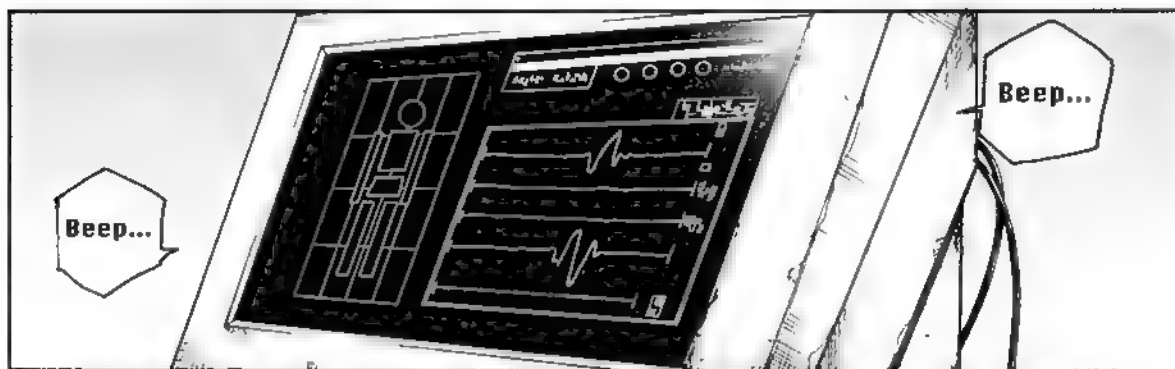
TO TELL
YOU
THAT...





**...I LOVE
YOU,
FUYUMI
YANAGI.**











YOU'RE
MOVING
TOO FAST,
JUMPING
RIGHT TO
"I LOVE
YOU"...

BUT I...
REALLY
LIKE
THAT
ABOUT
YOU.

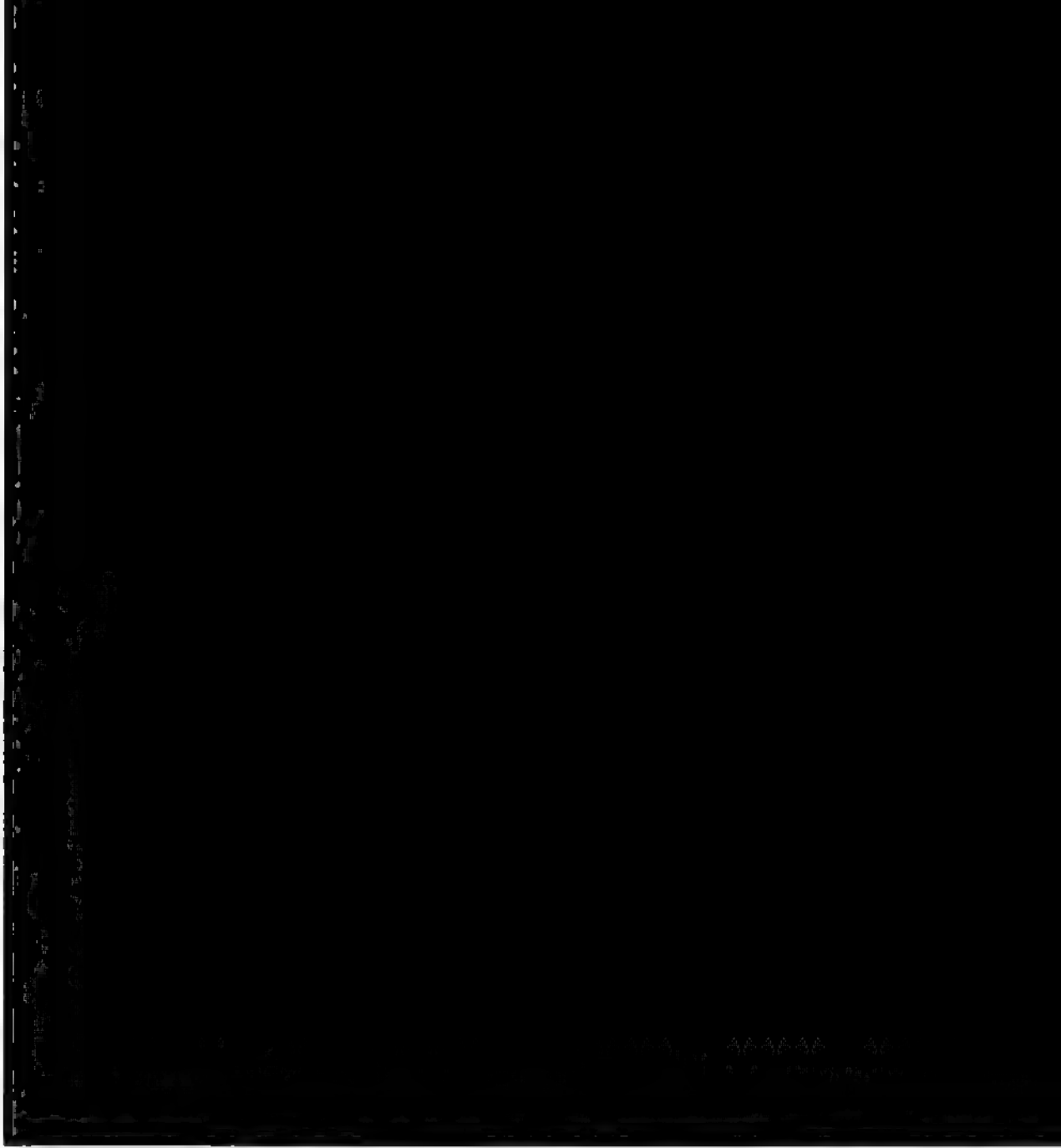




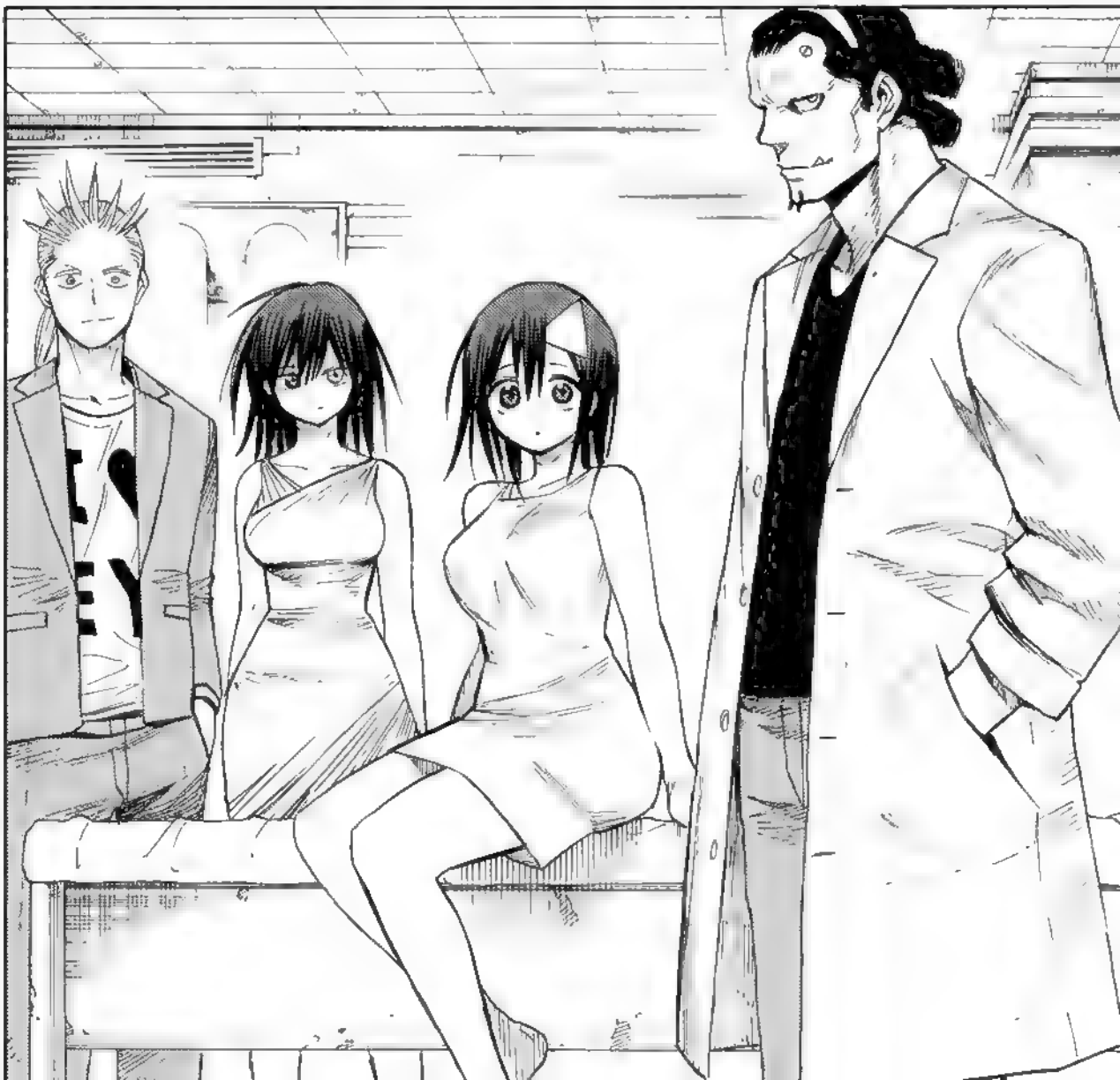
...HAVEN'T
EVEN
STARTED
ANYTHING
YET...

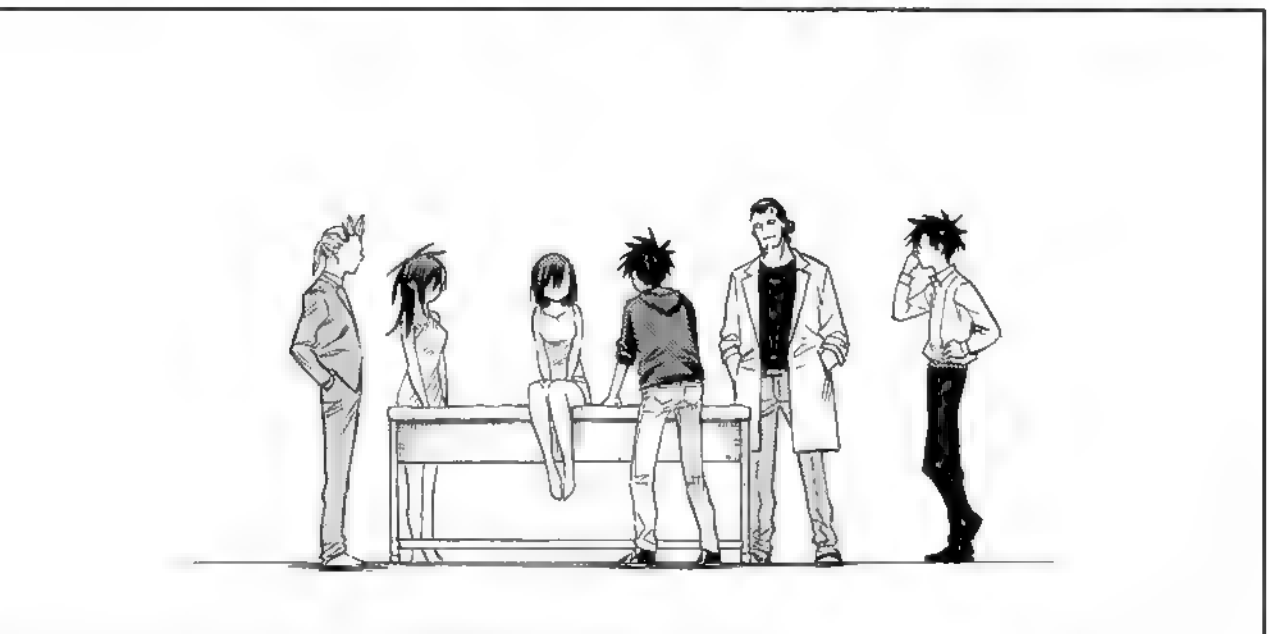
I MEAN,
WE...

STAZ-
SAN...









AND
AFTER
THAT...

...
GAVE HER
A GRAND
WELCOME.

FUYUMI

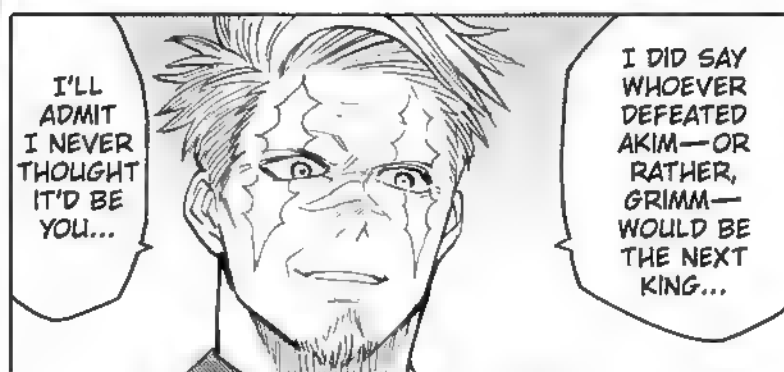
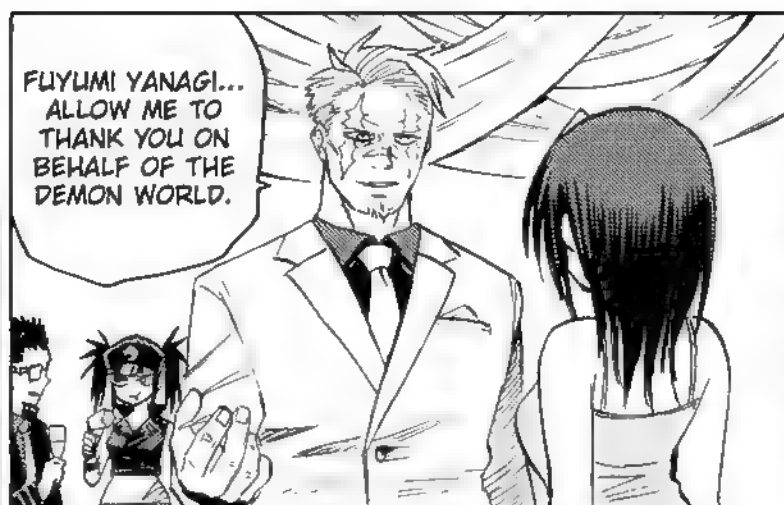
...
EVERYONE
WHO'D BEEN
WAITING IN
THE PALACE
FOR FUYUMI
TO WAKE
UP...



ALTHOUGH...
SHE JUST
LOOKED
SURPRISED
THE ENTIRE
TIME...

EVERYONE
KNOWS NOW...
THAT SHE'S
THE ONE
WHO SAVED
THE DEMON
WORLD.



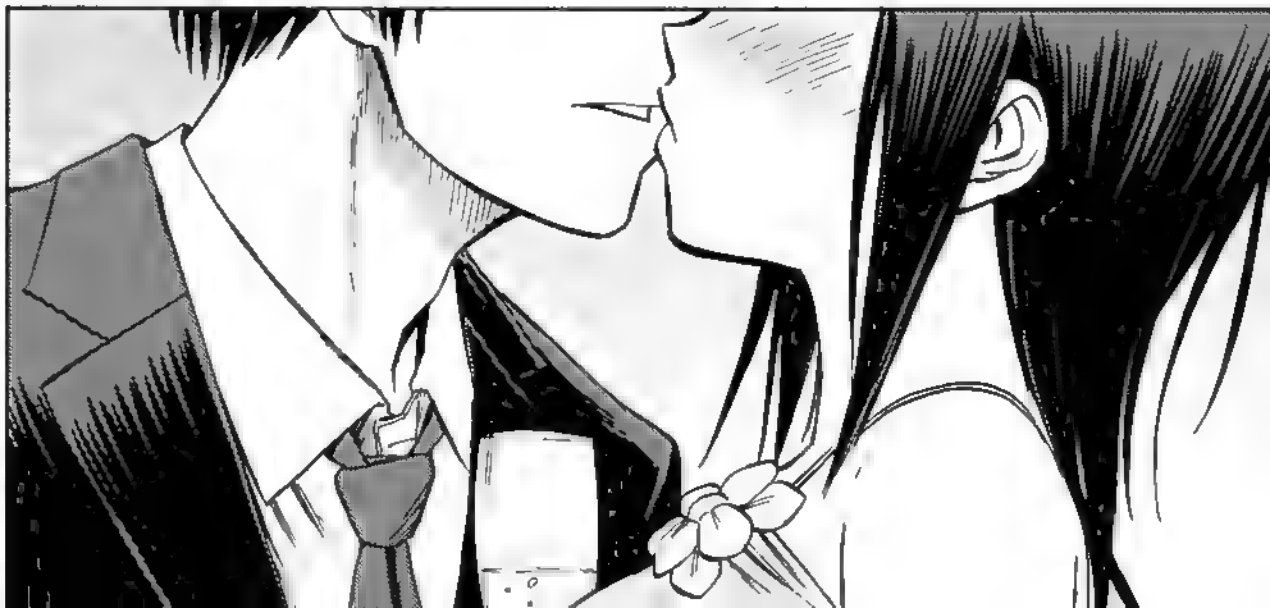
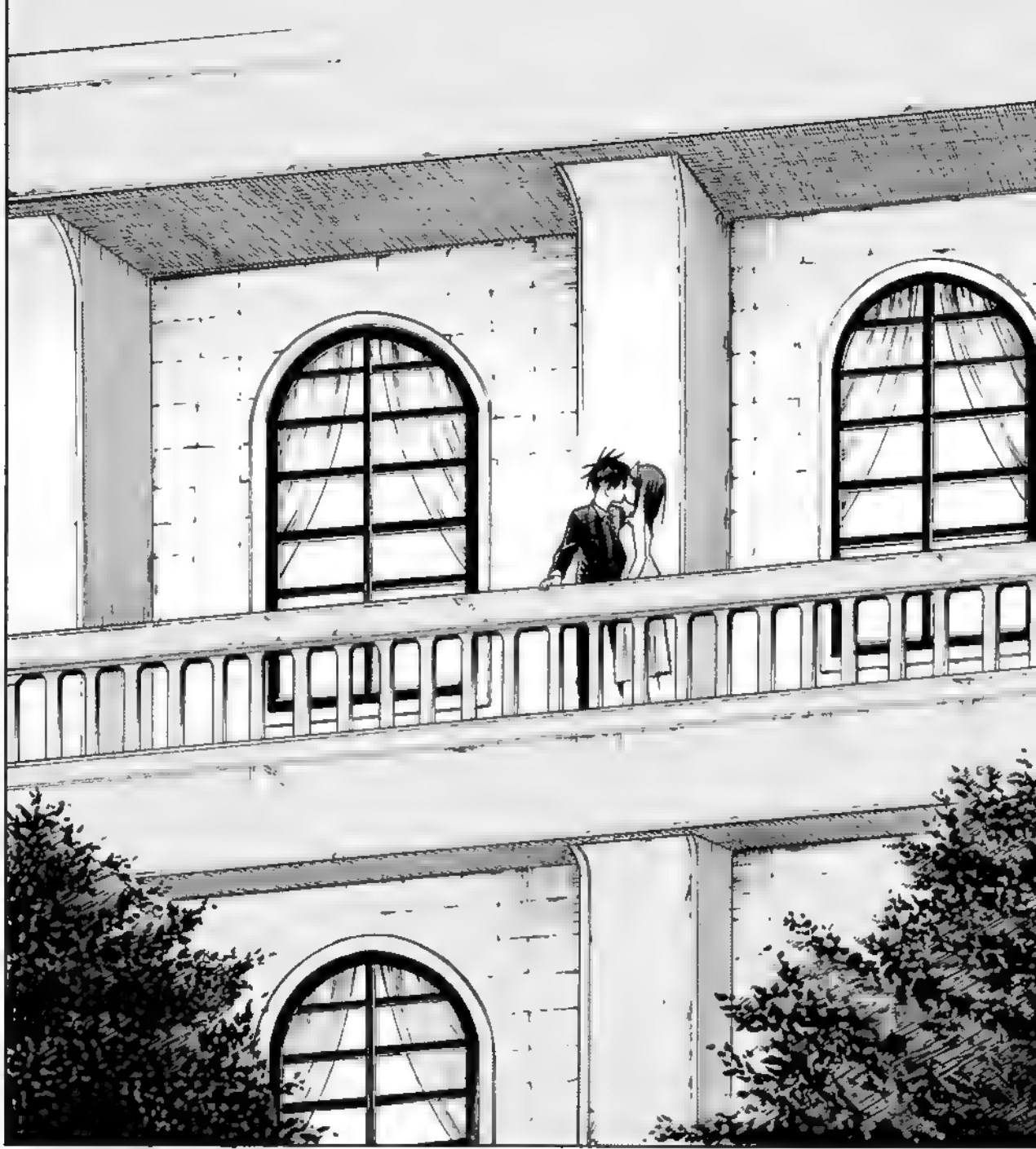








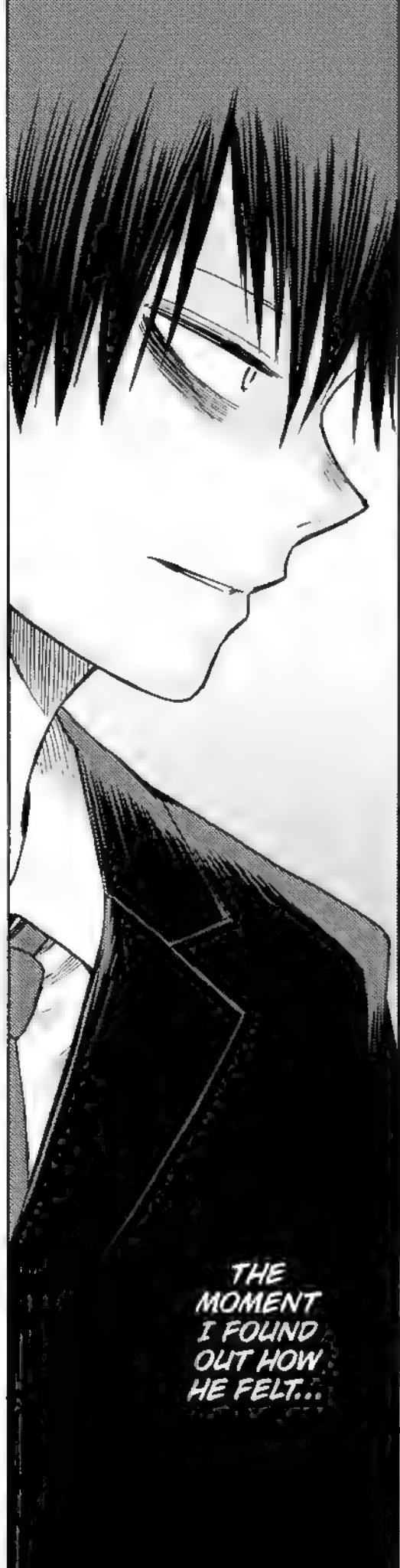






WALLS
CHARTERED

WALLS
CHARTERED



THE
MOMENT
I FOUND
OUT HOW
HE FELT...



STAZ-
SAN, I...

...LIKE
YOU TOO.

WELL, WE'RE
ALREADY
TOGETHER...

...I FINALLY
UNDERSTOOD
MY TRUE SELF.

UH-
HUH...

I'M THE
SAME...

ALMOST
LIKE I'M NOT
MYSELF...

AND I'M
HAPPY...

MY FEELINGS
FOR HIM
ARE OVER-
FLOWING.....

...WHERE
DO THESE
FEELINGS
LEAD?

...BUT...





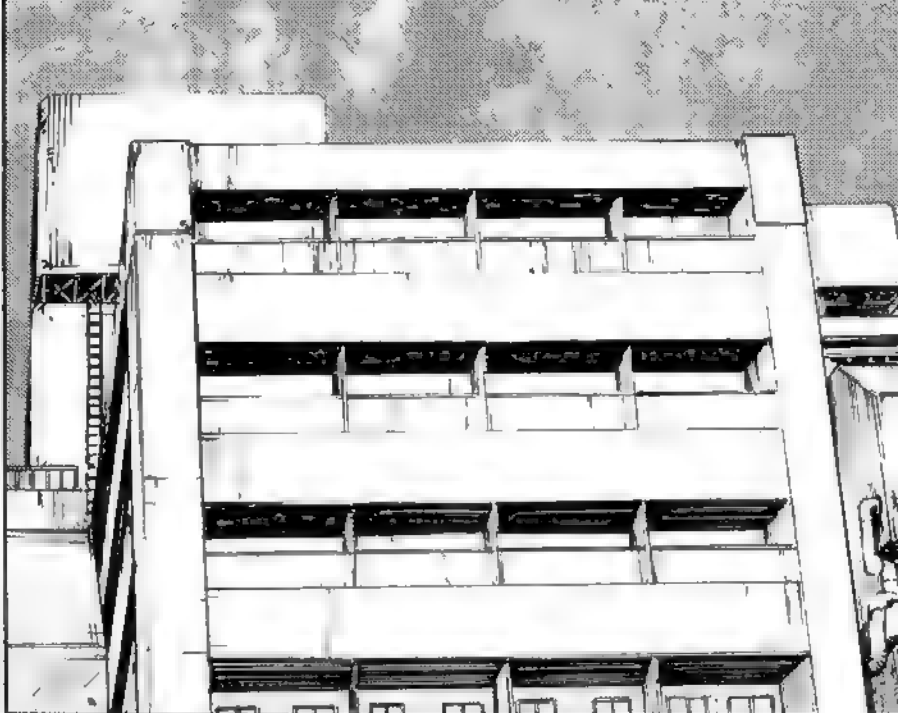


BLOOD LAD

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SHIRT: SUSHI



THERE
WE GO
...

RIGHT
NOW,
I'M IN
THE
DEMON
WORLD.



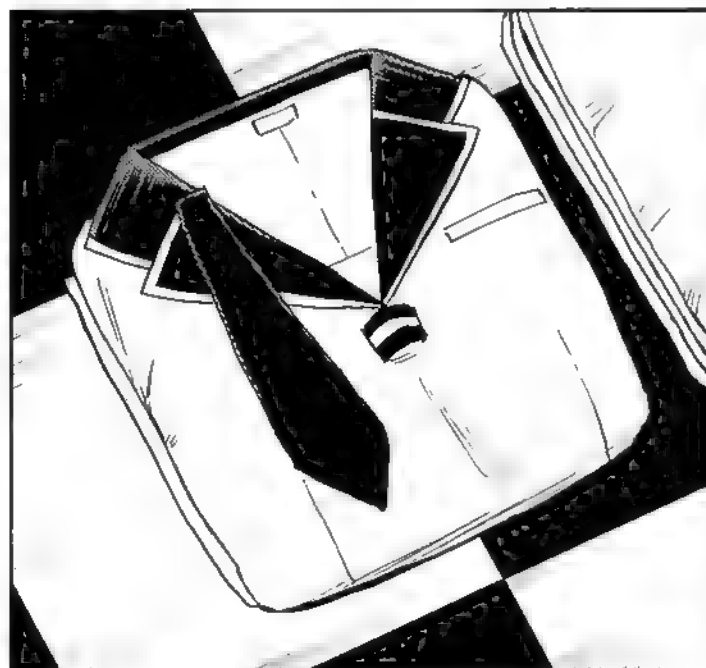
HELLO.

...I'VE
COME BACK
TO THIS
TERRITORY.

AFTER SOME
ADVENTURES
THAT I CAN
HARDLY
BELIEVE
MYSELF...

MY NAME
IS FUYUMI
YANAGI.









SO I'M
GIVING IT
BACK.

SIGN: CAFE THIRD EYE



WHO GOT
THE WINE
PAIRING?

PUT YOUR
HAND UP!!

ONE
A-LUNCH
AND TWO
B-LUNCHES
AT TABLE
TWO!

AND,
LEMMIE
SEE...







WHAT THE—
WHAT'S WITH THE
WATER-
WORKS !!?



.....
NOPE, NOT
REALLY...

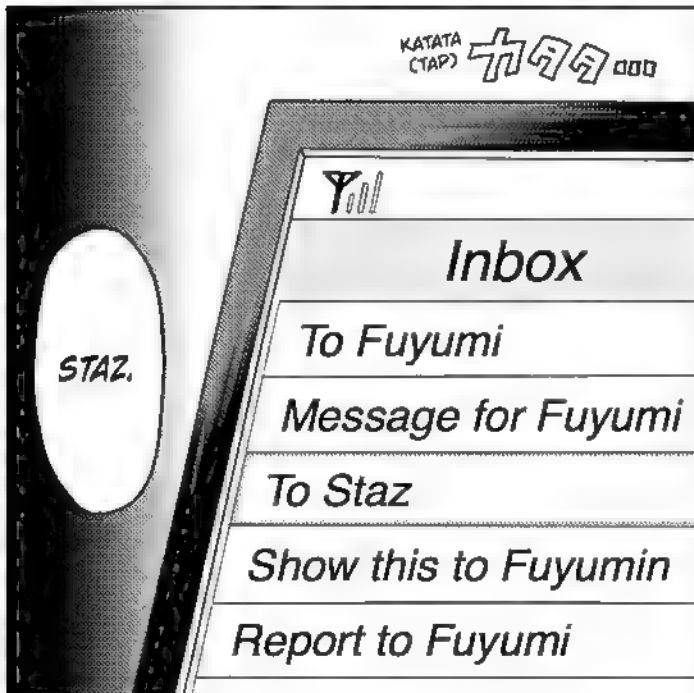
THERE
MUST BE.

BUT THERE
ARE SOME
FOR YOU
TOO, RIGHT,
BOSS?

WHAT?



TEXTS
FOR ME,
HUH...?



KATATA
(TAP) ㄗㄗㄗ 〇〇〇

Y

Inbox

To Fuyumi

Message for Fuyumi

To Staz

Show this to Fuyumin

Report to Fuyumi

STAZ.



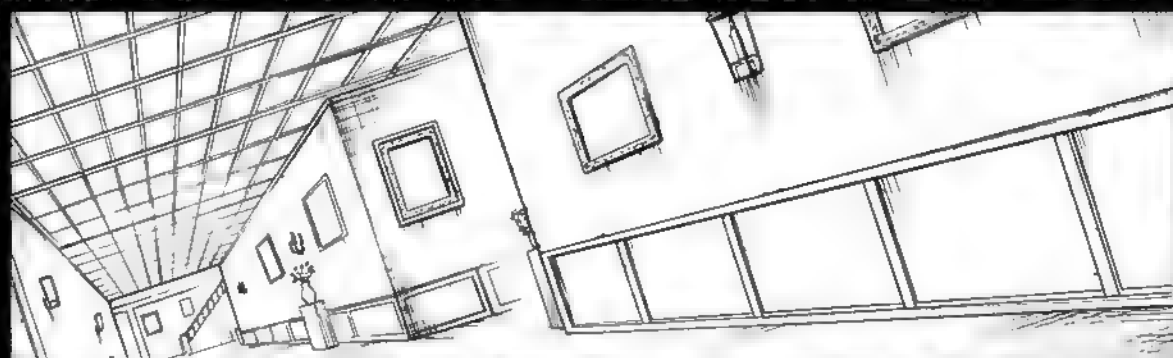
HAVE YOU
CONSIDERED
JUST
GETTING A
PHONE FOR
FUYUMI-
CHAN...?

THIS
IS TOO
SAD.

OH...
YEAH, I
GUESS.

BOSS...
WE'RE
STILL
HERE FOR
YOU!

UH...
RIGHT
...





I REALLY OUGHT
TO BE TELLING
YOU THIS WITH
HER PRESENT...

'KAY,
WHAT
IS IT?

AND
AS USUAL,
YOU AVOID
GETTING TO
THE POINT.
C'MON.

...BUT
I DON'T
HAVE
ENOUGH
PROOF
YET...

SORRY
TO PULL
YOU
AWAY.

ACTUALLY,
STAZ...
YOU'RE THE
ONE AVOIDING
THINGS.



I ASSUME
YOU'LL TAKE
HER BACK TO
DEMON WORLD
EAST, AND
THEN WHAT...?

WHAT DO
YOU PLAN TO
DO NOW?



FOR MY PART,
I'M SORRY
THAT IT TOOK
SO LONG...

...BUT I'M
PREPARING TO
RESURRECT
FUYUMI YANAGI'S
HUMAN BODY
NOW...



IF YOU THINK
IT'LL JUST BE
HAPPILY EVER
AFTER... THAT
WON'T WORK.

.....



WHEN
EVERYTHING
IS IN ORDER,
I'LL CONTACT
YOU... BUT...

...UNTIL THEN,
THINK VERY
CAREFULLY
ABOUT
WHETHER
YOU REALLY
WANT...

...TO GO
THROUGH
WITH IT.





YEAH...
I WASN'T
THERE
FOR THAT.

WE GOT
TO TALK TO
THEM AT
THE PARTY...
AND AFTER
THAT TOO.



YOU
REALLY
DO
REFUSE
TO GET
ALONG
WITH
PEOPLE.

YES,
YOU WERE.
YOU JUST
WOULDN'T
SAY ANY-
THING!



BY THE
LOOKS OF HIM,
YOU WOULDN'T
THINK HE
HAS A SWEET
TOOTH...BUT
HE LOVES
CAKES AND
THINGS.

SO,
JACK-
SAN...

HA
HA.

YEAH,
SORRY.

HUH.



YEAH,
THAT'S
WHAT
THIS
SAYS.

SO JACK-
SAN WENT
TO VISIT
MIST-SAN
IN THE
FOREST!

I DUNNO
WHY THESE
BLACKLISTED
GUYS THINK
I CARE
ABOUT
THEM...

OF
COURSE
YOU DO.



THEN HE'S
PROBABLY
CHOWING
DOWN ON
NUT CAKES
OR WHAT-
EVER RIGHT
NOW.

WITH
THE
SQUIR-
RELS.

HA
HA!

I CAN
TOTALLY
SEE
THAT!



I WON'T
TROLL
YOU OR
ANYTHING
...

EVERYONE
SENDS ME
MESSAGES
...



THIS IS
PERFECTLY
NORMAL.

THEY'RE
NOT THAT
LONG.

HEY, HEY!
ARE YOU
WRITING
OUT LONG
REPLIES
AGAIN?

YEAH,
AND I'M
THE ONE
WHO HAS
TO TYPE IT
ALL UP.



NO,
I...

WHAT?
WHAT
ARE YOU
AFRAID
OF?

IF YOU'D
JUST LEND
ME YOUR
PHONE,
I COULD
TYPE THEM
MYSELF.



I PRINT
OUT THE
PHOTOS...
AND PUT
THEM UP
ON THE
WALL...

...SO
I DON'T
FORGET.

...ABOUT
WHERE
THEY ARE
AND WHAT
THEY'RE
UP TO.







...DO
YOU STILL
WANT TO
RESURRECT
HER...?

STAZ...
KNOWING
THAT...





...YOUR
OWN
PHONE?



...HEY,
DO YOU
WANT...



LOOK...I
MEAN, YOU'RE
KIND OF A
PERSONALITY
IN THE DEMON
WORLD NOW,
SO...

IT'S
NOT
THAT
...



WHY? IS IT
THAT MUCH
TROUBLE TO
TYPE UP MY
REPLIES...?

.....



SORRY...
NEVER
MIND...

...
STAZ-
SAN...



THIS
IS
JUST
KIND
OF...





... NAH.

HAS
SOMETHING
ELSE
HAPPENED
...?

YOUR
BROTHER...
LOOKED
AWFULLY
SERIOUS
JUST NOW...



OH...

HE'S
GETTING
READY TO
RESURRECT
YOU...

HE JUST
FINALLY
DECIDED
TO DO IT.



OH...
STAZ-
SAN.

I KNOW
BETTER. I
SHOULDN'T
HAVE.....



...AND I MEAN,
IT SEEMS
KINDA STUPID
TO ASK AGAIN
AFTER ALL
THIS, BUT...



IT'S UP
TO YOU.

WELL?



THEN
I—

YEAH...
YOU'LL COME
BACK TO LIFE
FOR REAL
THIS TIME.



HEY,
WHAT'S
ALL
THIS?

I'M
SORRY...
I.....



I
KNEW
IT,
BUT...



...RESUR-
RECTED...

...BUT WHEN
I THINK ABOUT
WHAT'LL HAPPEN
AFTER I'M
FINALLY...

...AND I
WANT TO
STAY WITH
YOU...

I REALIZED
THAT I LIKE
YOU, STAZ-
SAN...



IT'S
WHAT I'VE
WANTED ALL
THIS TIME,
BUT NOW...

IT'S
STRANGE,
HUH...?

...I GET
SCARED...

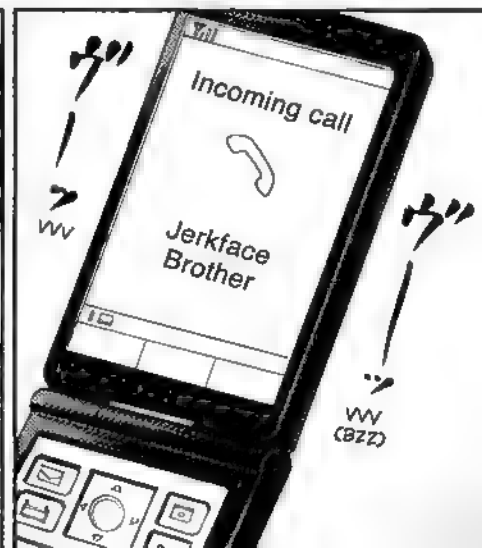


RESUR-
RECTING
HER
JUST
MEANS
...
SHE'LL
GO
BACK
TO THE
HUMAN
WORLD
...



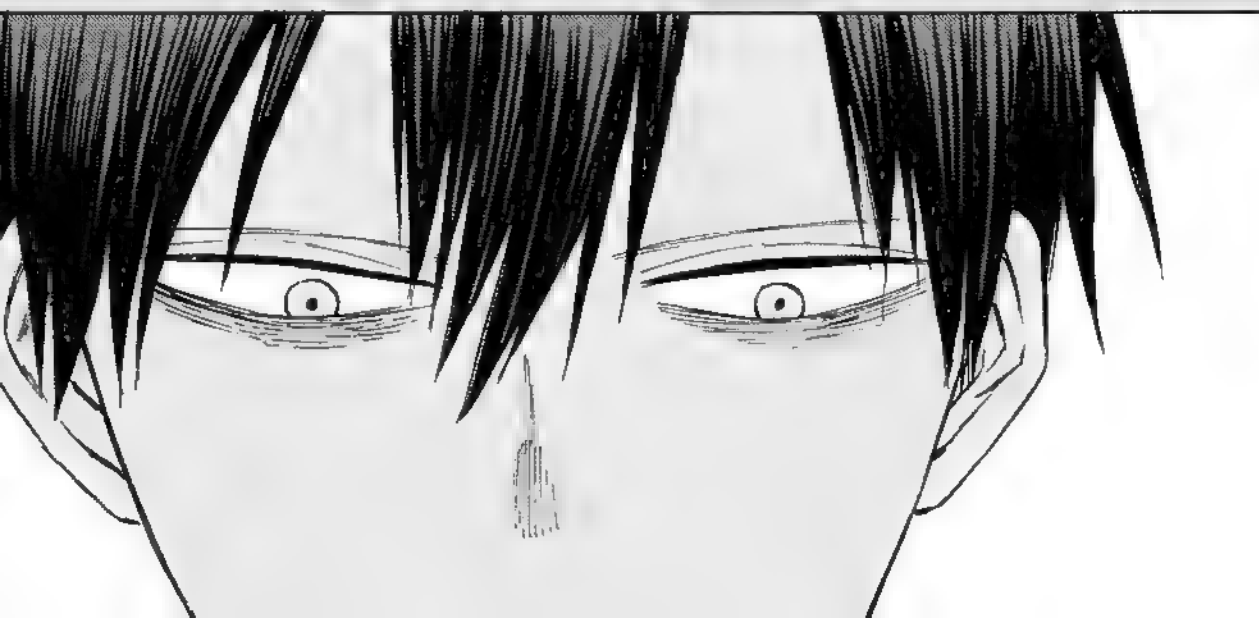
I
DON'T
THINK
ABOUT
DRINK-
ING
HUMAN
FLYLI-
MI'S
BLOOD
ANY-
MORE.

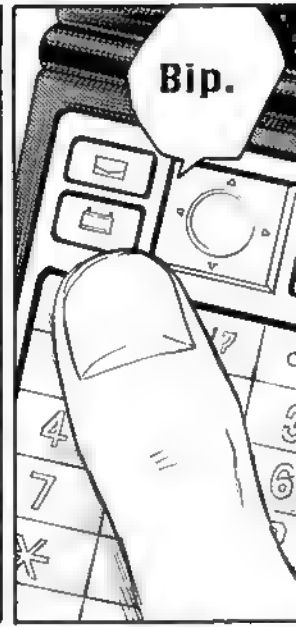
THAT'S NOT
STRANGE...

















THAT'S
HOW IT'S
GONNA BE,
SO I'M
ASKING YOU,
BROTHER.
OR SHOULD
I SAY...





HMPH
...

SO YOU
ONLY CALL
ME THAT
WHEN YOU
NEED A
FAVOR.

...Your
Majesty,
King
of the
Demon
World?

2A
CSHOONO



...SO
I SWEAR
TO ALL
DEMONKIND
THAT I WILL
RESURRECT
HER.

BUT
I DO OWE
THE THRONE
TO FUYUMI
YANAGI'S
RECOMMEN-
DATION...

♠ To Be Continued ♠



BLOOD LAD



NIGHT AFTER
NIGHT, WITH
THE FLAP OF
HIS HIGH-
COLLARED
CAPE, THE
MONSTER
STALKED
HUMANS TO
SUCK THEIR
BLOOD.

THE
VAMPIRE.

FINAL CHAPTER ♠
THE HUMAN WORLD



JUST A
MONSTER
PUTTING ON
THE AIRS OF
A HIGHBORN
COUNT.

UNDEAD
THOUGH HE
WAS, LONG
AGO HE
TOOK THE
APPEARANCE
OF A
EUROPEAN
NOBLEMAN...



DRACULA.

YEAH,
THAT'S
ME.

FINAL CHAPTER ♠ THE HUMAN WORLD





.....
RIGHT.

AND?
WHAT'S THIS
FINISHING
TOUCH YOU
MENTIONED?

WELP,
HERE
I AM.



COULD YOU
TAKE ME TO
THE HUMAN
WORLD?



TO
FLUYUMI'S
HOUSE...

KOPPO
(BURBLE)

コポポ
コポポ
コポポ



THEN
LET'S
GET
STARTED.



HER
STATS ARE
STABLE.
WE'RE ALL
CLEAR.

YEP.
EVERY-
THING'S
IN
PERFECT
ORDER.

IS IT
GOING
TO
WORK?



YEAH...

EVEN AFTER I
GO BACK TO THE
HUMAN WORLD,
WE CAN SEE
EACH OTHER ANY
TIME WE WANT.

BELL-SAN
SAID SHE
WOULD LEAVE
THE SPACE
CONNECTED
AGAIN.

IT'S ALL
RIGHT,
STAZ-SAN.



YOU'RE
RIGHT...

YOU'LL
LOVE IT!

...AND YOU CAN
VISIT THE HUMAN
WORLD—OH, YOU
CAN SEE AKIHABARA,
LIKE YOU ALWAYS
WANTED, AND
EVERYTHING.

I CAN
COME BACK
TO VISIT
THE DEMON
WORLD...





I GET THAT YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT FUYUMIN, BUT...



GACHA
KACHAKO

C'MON, YOU'RE NOT EVEN GONNA REMINISCE WITH ME?

HER OLD MAN'S NOT HOME YET. I BETTER GET TO SCHOOL.



SHE'S GONNA TURN BACK INTO A HUMAN.

I'M NOT WORRIED.

WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO YOU TODAY?

WELL, YOU'RE NORMALLY PRETTY WEIRD, SO...

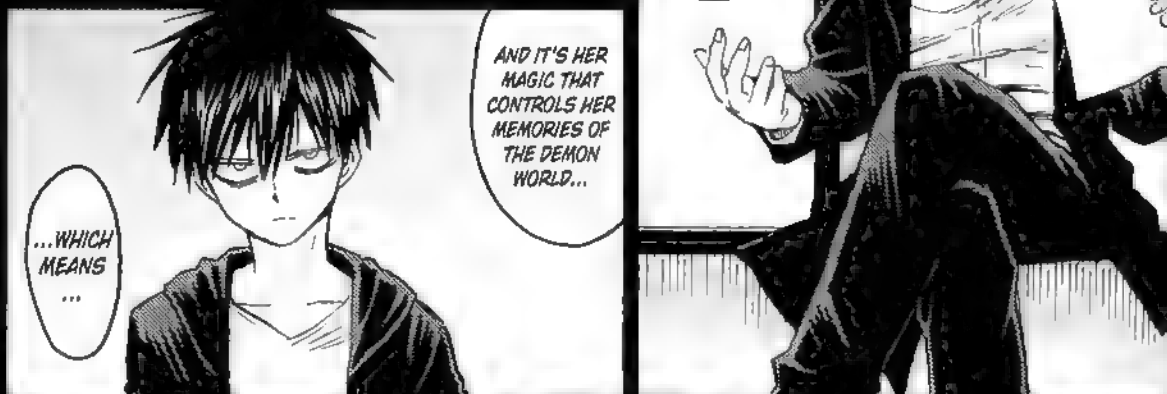
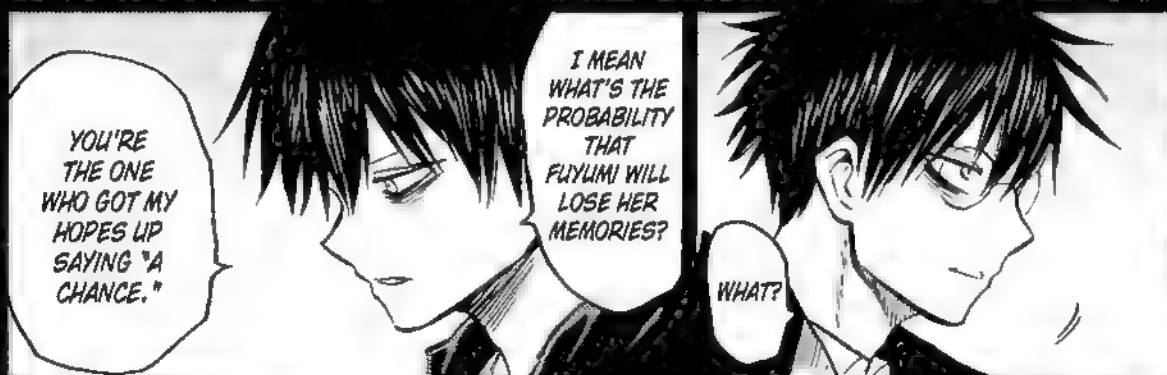


...FUYUMI YANAGI WILL LOSE ALL MEMORY.....

SO I JUST GOTTA MAKE SURE HER WORLD IS BACK TO NORMAL TOO.

THERE IS A CHANCE ...

...OF THE TIME SHE WAS A DEMON.





I'M
SURPRISED.

.....



HA-HA...
WELL,
THAT'S
TRUE...

I DON'T
WANT HER
TO LOSE HER
MEMORIES
EITHER...

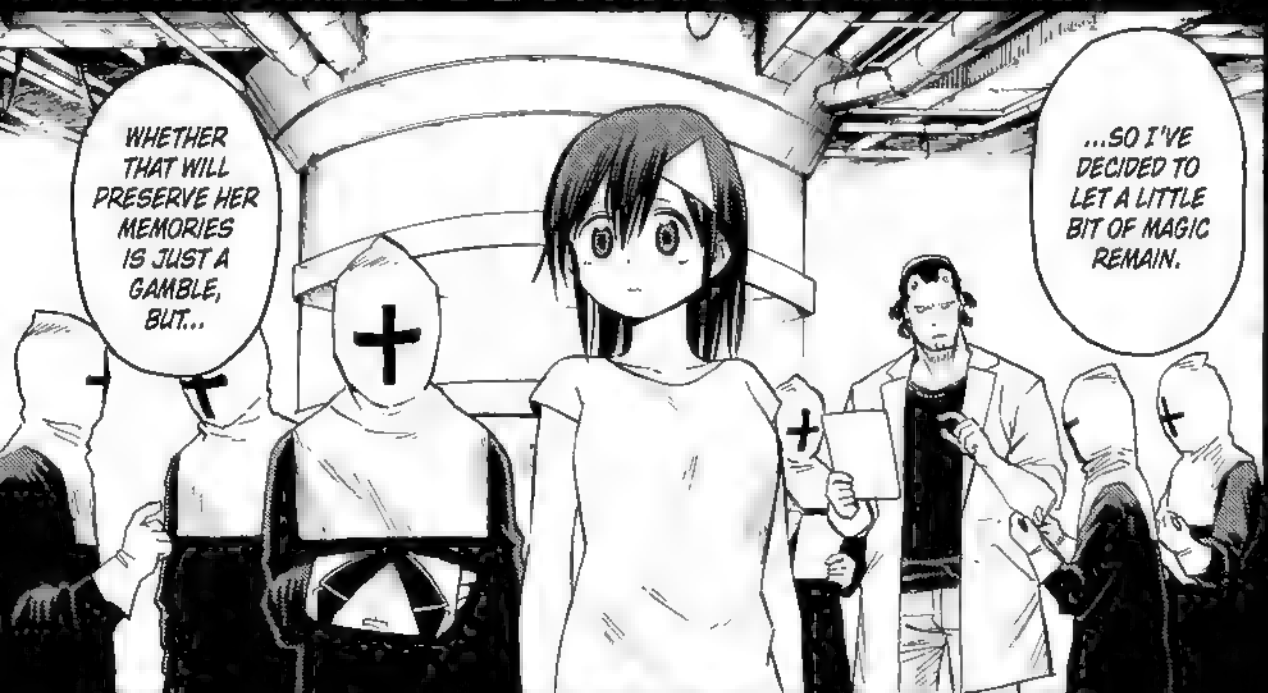


YOU'RE VERY
QUICK ON
THE UPTAKE
TODAY.

YEAH,
BECAUSE
I CAN TELL
YOU'RE
NOT LYING
TO ME.



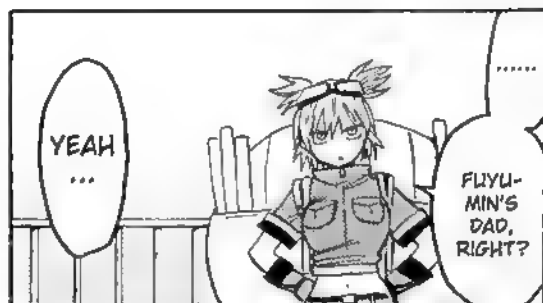
IF SHE
HAS ANY
MEMORIES
LEFT OVER,
THEY'LL BE
FRAGMENTED?



WHETHER
THAT WILL
PRESERVE HER
MEMORIES
IS JUST A
GAMBLE,
BUT...

...SO I'VE
DECIDED TO
LET A LITTLE
BIT OF MAGIC
REMAIN.







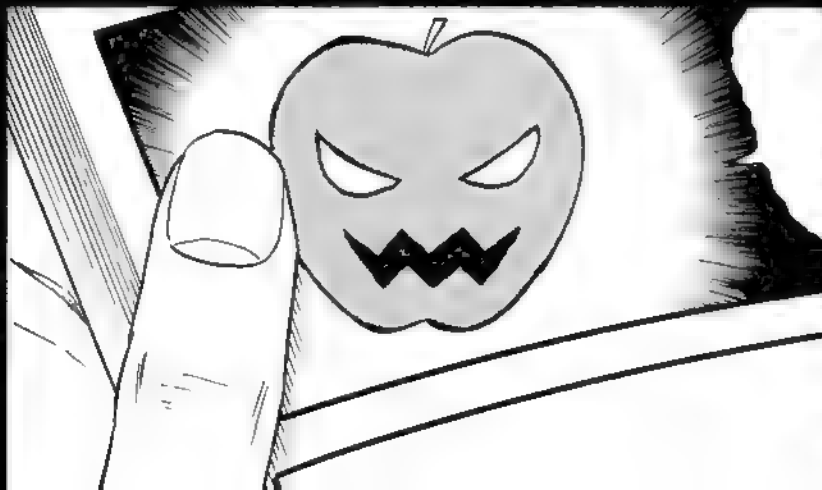


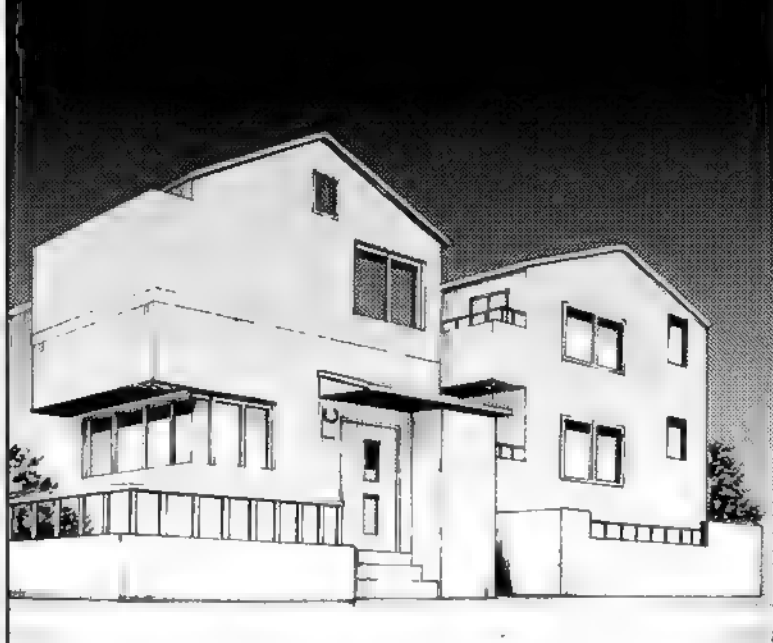
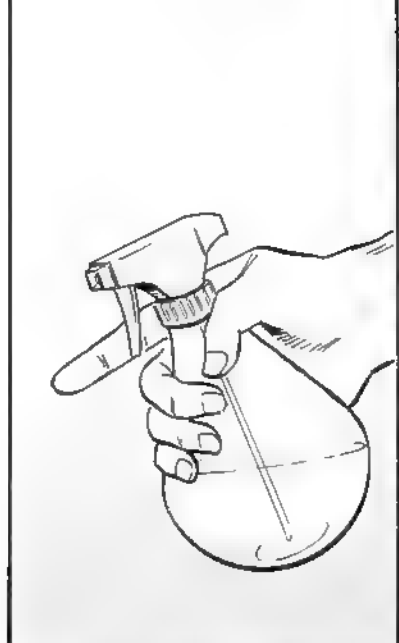
I JUST DON'T
BELIEVE IT.



...OKAY.







I'M SORRY
FOR NOT
TELLING YOU...
FLYUMI...





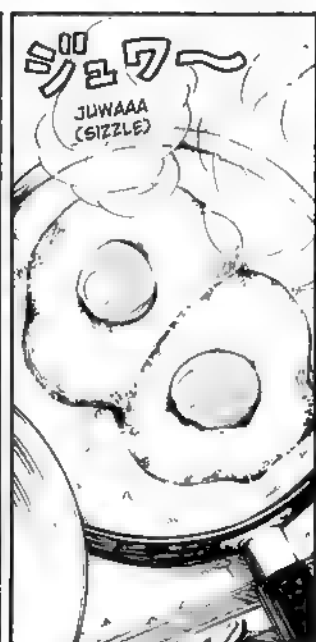
⇒BEEP BEEP⇐

⇒BEEP BEEP⇐

⇒BEEP BEEP⇐

⇒BEEP BEEP⇐

⇒BEEP BEEP⇐









DON'T FORGET TO LOCK UP.

OH... SORRY, I'LL LEAVE SOON.

MM-HMM!



FUYUMI!

HURRY, OR YOU'LL BE LATE FOR SCHOOL.

BUT WHO'S THIS NEXT TO—?



FULLUYUMI!

THIS BOY... WHO IS HE...?



WHATCHA LOOKIN' AT?

HEEEY!

SAKU-CHAN! MAYU-CHAN!

OH... NOTHING...

BA (WHP)



ARE YOU SURE?

...JUST A SHOPPING LIST FOR TONIGHT.

I-IT'S NOTHING!

OOOH? VERY SUSPICIOUS.



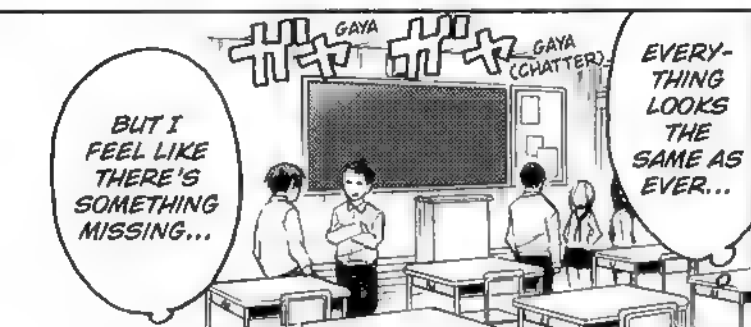


I FEEL WEIRD TODAY...

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はあ...
HAA
(CHUFF)



BUT I FEEL LIKE THERE'S SOMETHING MISSING...

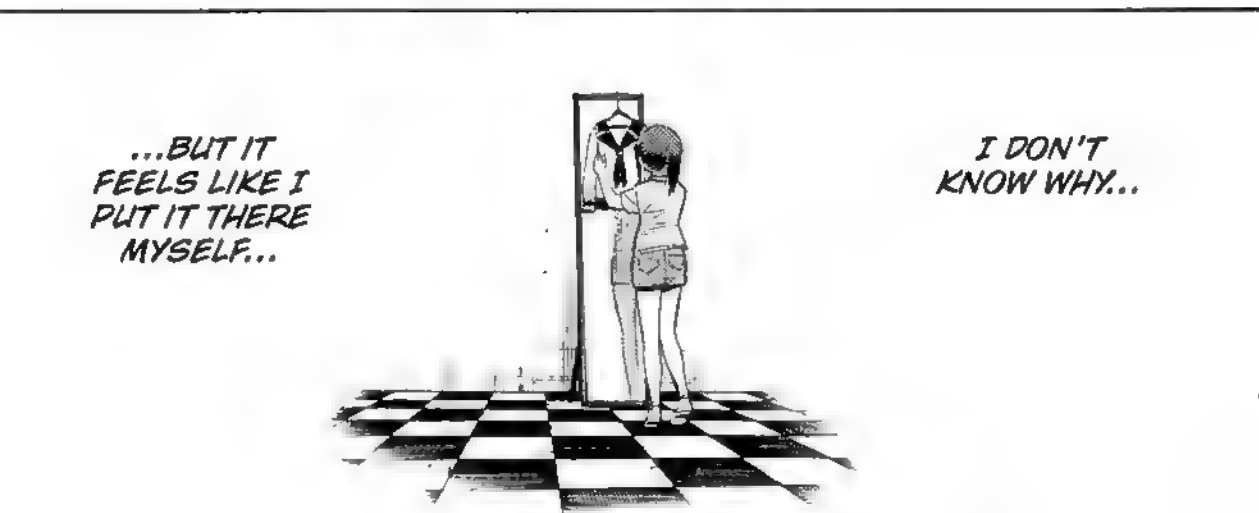
ガヤ ガヤ
GAYA (CHATTER)

EVERY-THING LOOKS THE SAME AS EVER...



I DON'T REMEMBER THAT AT ALL...
ACTUALLY, IT'S KIND OF SCARING ME...

THAT PHOTO IN MY UNIFORM POCKET...



...BUT IT FEELS LIKE I PUT IT THERE MYSELF...

I DON'T KNOW WHY...

SOMETHING
I WANTED TO
KEEP CLOSE...

LIKE IT WAS
SOMETHING
IMPORTANT...

WHAT'S
THE MATTER
WITH ME...?

OKAY,
EVERYONE,
TAKE YOUR
SEATS.

とよっ...
DOYO
(MURMUR)

WE'VE
GOT A NEW
STUDENT
TO MEET.

IT
ALL WENT
THROUGH
PRETTY FAST,
I DON'T
EVEN REALLY
KNOW THE
SITUATION,
BUT...

...BEFORE
I TAKE
ATTENDANCE,
LISTEN
UP FOR A
MINUTE...

UH,
SO
TODAY
...



MY
FAVORITE
THINGS
ARE THIS
COUNTRY'S
MANGA,
ANIME, AND
GAMES!!

I'M
STAZ CHARLIE
BLOOD. I JUST
TRANSFERRED
IN FROM
DEMON WORLD
EAST HIGH
SCHOOL!

YES,
SIR!!

STAZ-
KUN.

SO
I'LL DO
MY BEST
TO ADAPT!
NICE TO
MEET YOU
ALL!!

SUNLIGHT
IS KINDA
HARD FOR
ME TO DEAL
WITH, BUT
IT WON'T
ACTUALLY
KILL ME!!





STAZ-
KUN.

**MY
FAVORITE
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ARE THIS
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SCHOOL!**

**YES,
SIR!!**



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NICE TO
MEET YOU
ALL!!**

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IS KINDA
HARD FOR
ME TO DEAL
WITH, BUT
IT WON'T
ACTUALLY
KILL ME!!**





OH, THE
SEAT NEXT
TO YANAGI
IS EMPTY.

ALL RIGHT...
STAZ-KUN,
WHY DON'T
YOU SIT...

THANKS FOR
THAT RATHER
ENTHUSIASTIC
INTRODUCTION
...

O-
OKAY,
STAZ-
KUN.

SURE.
PLEASE DON'T
WORRY—
I'M NOT HERE
TO CAUSE
TROUBLE OR
ANYTHING.

TAKE YOUR
HANDS OUT
OF YOUR
POCKETS.



NICE
TO
MEET
YA...



...
FUYUMI.





NICE
TO MEET
YOU TOO...
STAZ-SAN.

THE END 🐼

BLOOD LAD



THANK YOU FOR READING
BYE BYE

Life in the Demon World



THEN
SHE MAKES
BREAKFAST
AND A BOX
LUNCH FOR
HER DAD.

JUWAAA
(SIZZLE)



~BE~

PASH!
(SMACK)

~BEEP BEEP~



~BEEP BEEP~

FUYUMI
YANAGI IS
A HUMAN
HIGH
SCHOOL
GIRL.



THEN SHE
GETS READY
HERSELF,
WITH A
TINY BIT OF
MAKEUP...

フー
BURROO
(WHIRRR)



SHE GETS
UP EVERY
MORNING
AT 5:30.

GU
(STRETCH)

HN!

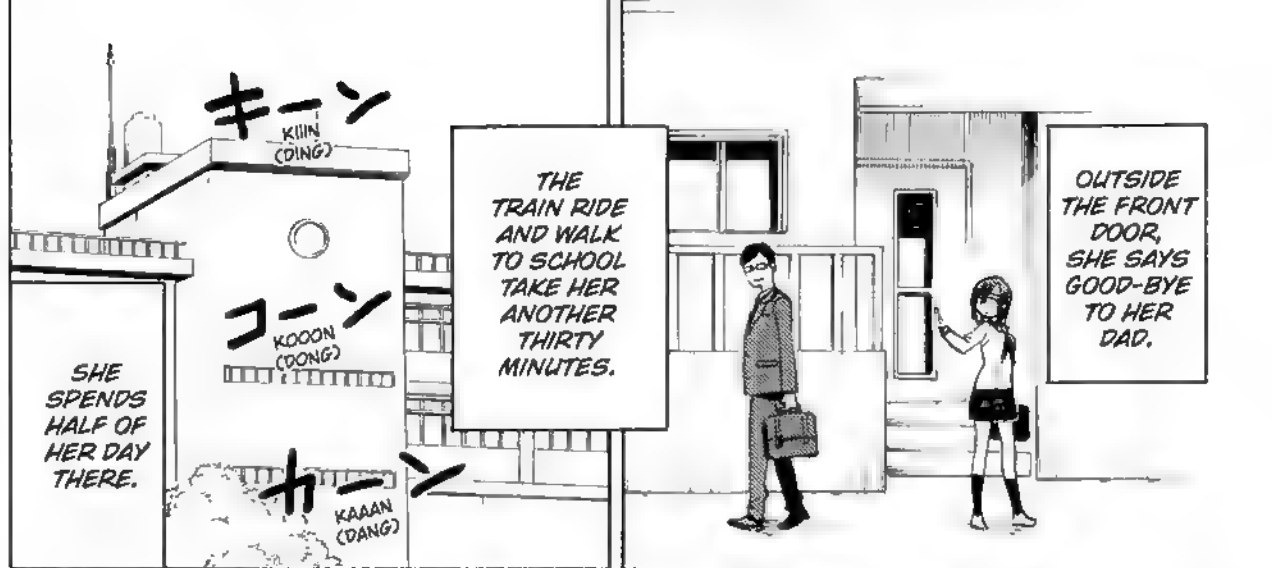


BY
THEN,
IT'S
7:30.

...AND
PUTS
ON HER
SCHOOL
UNIFORM.



...OPENS
UP HER
CLOSET...



BURROO
CWHIRROO

SHE MADE
BREAKFAST,
AS USUAL...

...AND GOT
READY FOR
SCHOOL AS
USUAL...

BE—A

BEEP BEEP

AND
THEN,
MORNING
COMES
AGAIN.

PASHI
CSMAKO

BEEP BEEP

ANOTHER
MORNING,
SAME AS
ALWAYS.

HN!

...SHE
FOUND
SOMETHING
UNUSUAL—
A PORTAL
TO ANOTHER
WORLD.

BUT
TODAY,
WHEN SHE
OPENED
HER
CLOSET...

OOOO
CYMMMO



END



LOAD
FL
BO
B



LOAD



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...BUT NOW,
THE TIME
REALLY HAS
COME...I'M
KINDA SAD...

LOOKS LIKE
THIS IS IT. YOU
WON'T BE SEEING
ME AGAIN. I'VE
BEEN MAKING
JOKES THIS
WHOLE TIME...



THANKS
FOR
READING,
GUYS!

GOTCHAI
LIKE I'D
REALLY
GET ALL
WEEPY
ON YA.



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